

RELEASE OF U.S. PRISONERS RELIEVES MEXICAN CRISIS

CARRANZA GRANTS ONE OF WILSON'S DEMANDS

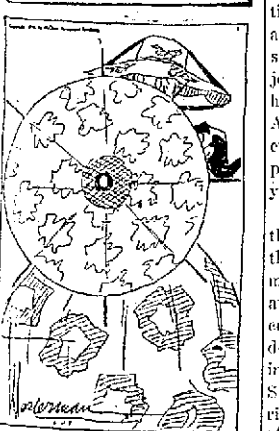
Washington, D. C., June 29.—Official announcement of Carranza's orders for the release of the American troopers captured at Carrizal reached the state department early today from Special Agent Rodgers at Mexico City. When he sent the message last night Mr. Rodgers expected to be handed a reply to the American note at any moment.

Danger of an immediate break with the defacto government had been relieved last night by press dispatches saying the prisoners had been started for the border from Chihuahua City. Until Carranza replies to the demand for a statement of his attitude toward the American expedition in Mexico to protect the border, however, the crisis is only less imminent than before.

High officials of the administration let it be known that the United States would proceed with its military operations to completely safeguard its citizens and territory and would continue to pursue bandits in Mexico whenever there was hope of overtaking them, regardless of any action Mexican military commanders may take.

It was apparent about the war and state departments today that release of the prisoners had made the situation less critical. It had no effect, however, on efforts to speed up the mobilization of the national guard along the Inter-

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The young lady across the way saw she saw in the paper that a good many fires lately had undoubtedly been due directly to spontaneous combustion but she hasn't seen a word about any arrests and for her part she doesn't think we can ever check crime in this country until we catch the criminals and make an example of them.

NEGRO TROOPERS REACH AMERICAN SOIL IN SAFETY

Some Wore Only Trousers, One Had On A Shirt With A Towel Around His Waist, Others Heads Were Decorated With Bandannas--Only One Smiled

El Paso, Texas, June 29.—Twenty-three negro troopers of the Tenth cavalry and Lem Spillsbury, Mormon scout, captured by the Mexicans at

Carrizal and confined in the Chihuahua penitentiary were brought to the border at noon today and turned over to American military authorities.

A shout of laughter rose from the thousands of Mexicans who had gathered to witness the arrival as the negroes filed from the special train. The prisoners were

dressed in the scantiest and most nondescript garb. Some had only trousers on. One wore a shirt, while a towel encircled his waist. Others heads were decorated with

bandannas. All the troopers were worn and drawn from their experience and all were serious save one who wore a broad smile.

This one negro made himself the impromptu spokesman for his fellows. "We sure are glad to get back," he said. (Continued On Page Two)

CASEMENT FOUND GUILTY OF HIGH TREASON; MUST PAY PENALTY OF DEATH

London, June 29.—Sir Roger Casement was found guilty of high treason. The ending of the historic trial came shortly before four o'clock this afternoon, when the jury, which had been out less than an hour, brought in its verdict against the Irish Knight.

Sir Roger was later sentenced to death. Sir Roger received the sentence with the utmost composure, smiling at friends in the court room. His statement, which occupied a half hour, was a plea for the right to be tried by Irishmen and for Irish nationality.

After Sir Roger had been sentenced, Daniel J. Bailey, the private soldier who had been held as his accomplice, was placed in the dock. The chief justice directed the jury to return a verdict of not guilty and Bailey was discharged.

It was announced later that the crown had withdrawn the charge against Bailey.

Counsel for Sir Roger announced that the case would be appealed.

Today's session of the court was given over to arguments of counsel and the charge to the jury. Sir Roger's chief counsel, Alexander Sullivan, who collapsed in court yesterday, was unable to appear today and his argument was taken up by Artemus Jones, assistant counsel for the defense. The attorney general, Sir Frederick Smith, summed up the case for the prosecution, after which the Lord Chief Justice delivered his charge.

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Sir Roger Casement.

Prohibition Convention Comes To Close

Indianapolis, Ind., June 29.—Today marked the final sessions of the seventeenth annual convention of the Anti-Saloon League of America which began Sunday. In addition to the regular program of addresses, it was expected the committee on resolutions would report and a place for the 1917 convention be selected.

The Rev. Louis Albert Banks, of Delaware, Ohio, sketched the temperance reform movement from its earliest history and recounted briefly the visions which men and women of world history have had directing them to the achievement of important work. He also paid tribute to "that great army of pastors in all the churches who stand loyally by this great cause."

HANNA DEFEATED
Fargo, N. D., June 29.—United States Senator P. J. McCumber has defeated Governor L. B. Hanna for the nomination as senator on the Republican ticket, according to returns available today from yesterday's primary.

John Burke, United States treasurer, is leading F. O. Hellstrom, on the Democratic Senatorial ticket.

FLAG MANUFACTURERS ON THE CARPET

New York, June 29.—The increased demand for American flags has led some of the flag manufacturers here to curtail the breadth of the star spangled banner under the standard size and substitute mercerized cotton for silk, and cotton for wool, says the commissioner of weights and measures. Twenty-five manufacturers were summoned before the commissioner yesterday and warned that they must stop giving short measure or substituting cheaper materials.

TEACHERS CLOSE STATE MEETING

Cedar Point, O., June 29.—The annual convention of the Ohio State Teachers' Association closed at noon today. Of the 1,200 delegates present, 300 left for New York to attend the convention of the National Educational Association.

Superintendent J. V. McMillen, of Marietta, was elected president. Superintendent Wilson Hawkins, of Newark, O., was elected a member of the board of control of the Ohio Teachers' Reading Circle. Other officers held over.

EMERGENCY EXPENSE BILL HAS BEEN PASSED

Washington, D. C., June 29.—An urgent deficiency bill appropriating \$27,536,000 for emergency expenses connected with the movement of the national guard to the Mexican border, was passed by the senate today without debate. It already had passed the house.

Militia Cross Border

Columbus, N. M., June 29.—For the first time since their mobilization on the border, national guardsmen today are in Mexico on military service. Three motor trucks were loaded with New Mexico guardsmen last night and despatched down General Pershing's line of communication to help guard against its being cut.

Government Not To Permit Moves Against Enlistment

Cincinnati, O., June 29.—That the federal government intends to take action against persons who attempt to interfere with army and navy enlistment work was disclosed today when Charles Baker, editor of the Hamilton Socialist, of Hamilton, Ohio, was arraigned before United States

MEDIATION IS A GAIN PROPOSED

Washington, D. C., June 29.—Ignacio Calderon, minister of Bolivia, and Rafael Zaldivar, minister of Salvador, called at the state department today to renew their efforts to learn whether the United States would entertain an offer of mediation in the Mexican difficulty.

Mr. Calderon talked with Secretary Lansing about five minutes. Afterward he said he had been told that the United States could not discuss mediation in the absence of information that the American prisoners actually had been released and as to Carranza's reply to the demand of a statement of intentions toward the expedition in Mexico.

The minister reminded Mr. Lansing of the interest of all the American Republics in preservation of peace and said he would call again when Carranza's reply to the note of the United States had been received.

RUSSIANS CAPTURE MANY MEN

Petrograd, June 29.—(Via London)—Russian troops fighting in Volhynia, and Galicia yesterday took prisoner 221 officers and 10,285 men, says the official statement issued today by the Russian war department.

The statement says the Russians inflicted a great defeat on the Teutonic troops between the Dneister and Pruth rivers, capturing three lines of trenches.

UNCOVER PLOT TO STEAL DENTAL EXAM PROBLEMS

Columbus, O., June 29.—Members of the State Board of Dental Examiners today permitted 14 Columbus, Cincinnati and Cleveland dental students who were implicated in the plot uncovered last night to obtain copies of examination questions, to continue their examination for licenses to practice dentistry in Ohio. This was done after board members obtained confessions from the students.

WILSON GIVEN DRAFT POWER

Washington, D. C., June 29.—The senate today approved and sent to the White House the conference report on the Hay resolution authorizing the president to draft in to the federal service all national guardsmen taking the prescribed oath.

Approval was voted by the house last night. As finally agreed upon the resolution is stripped of both the house provisions for financial relief for dependents of militiamen and the senate amendment authorizing the release of members of the guard who have families without means of support.

Transferring of guardsmen to the federal service will make them available for any service like regulars, and they will be taken over for the period of the emergency.

Any who fail to take the oath will retain their National Guard status and will be available for border defense service.

Passage of the resolution will facilitate troop movements to the border as one of its chief objects is to make possible the completion of partly completed units for immediate transportation.

PROTESTS GERMAN ACTION

Paris, June 29.—Premier Briand has sent a protest to the neutral powers against the action of the German military authorities in ordering the evacuation by civilians of the towns of Lille, Roubaix and Tourcoing, according to the Petit Journal. The protest is on the ground that the order is contrary to the Hague convention.



Now that those troopers have been released and the war clouds begin to show signs of breaking up I've decided to put off enlisting for a few days more, or until another crisis comes along which I reckon, considering the trend of the times will be soon enough. Bill Hicks says he hopes the next Mexican crisis holds off till the weather gets cooler—its too hot now to stand on the corner and discuss a country that's even hotter than this. Here's for tomorrow!

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Kentucky and West Virginia—Fair tonight and Friday.

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Casement

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Viscount Reading, Lord Chief Justice of England, with the Black Cloth by tradition called a Cap, spread over his head, and his two assistants in scarlet gowns, likewise black capped, pronounced the sentence of death for high treason on the Irishman. Sir Roger Casement, shortly before five o'clock this afternoon, half an hour after the foreman of the jury in a shaking voice gave the verdict of guilty.

Sir Roger addressed the court, reading his final statement with the explanation that he wished it might reach a much larger audience than the one before him, and particularly from the people of America from whom had come many messages of sympathy to him and whose own struggle for liberty, he said, always had been an inspiration to Irishmen.

Sir Roger's auditors, among whom were Viscount Bryce and many prominent men and women, listened in deep silence, some moved to tears. The prisoner declared he did not regard trial by Englishmen in an English court as a trial by his peers to which he was entitled. He reviewed recent events in Ireland from the beginning of the formation of the Ulster volunteers and said:

"We have seen the constitutional army refuse to obey the constitutional government and we were told the first duty of Irishmen was to enter that army. If small nations were to be the first consideration, I saw no reason why Ireland should shed any blood for any people but her own. If that be treason, I am not ashamed to show here. If the unionist chose the road they thought would lead to the good side, I knew my road led to the dark side. Both of us proved right. So I am proud to stand here, in a traitor's dock than to fill the place of my accusers."

"Self government is our right. It is no more a thing to be withheld from us or doled out to us than the right to life, or light, or sunshine or spring flowers."

Throwing aside his manuscript, Sir Roger said:

"My Lords, I have done. Gentlemen of the jury, I wish to thank you for your verdict. I meant no reflection upon you when I said this was not a trial by my peers."

The attorney general announced Mailey had affirmed he joined the Irish brigade with the object of returning to his country and rejoining the army. Under the circumstances no evidence would be produced against him.

Negro Troops

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General Francisco Gonzales, commander at Juarez, and Andres Garcia, Mexican consul in El Paso, met the train. The guard that escorted the prisoners, from Chihuahua City, dressed in uniforms of bright yellow, pushed back the crowds, forming a lane through which Spillsbury and the troops marched down the railway tracks. They were taken to the disinfecting plant and there stripped and treated before being escorted to the commandancia.

The troops refused to discuss the Carrizal fight, their imprisonment or their return to the border.

"We are soldiers, not plain citizens," they said.

"We will have to report to our superior officers and receive their instructions."

Lem Spillsbury, however, said the Americans fired first at Carrizal.

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national line and to furnish an adequate supply of war material to meet any emergency.

Even should the Mexican reply disclaim any hostile intention and withdraw orders to Carranza military commanders offensive to the United States the border patrol would be maintained at the strength now contemplated while any danger from bandits continued.

To free itself from the menace of an army mobilized on its Northern frontier, the Mexican government must comply also with the demands that it police adequately its border states and establish such firm military control that the raiding into the United States is improbable and the assembly of any large group of bandits impossible.

While such control is lacking it is clearly indicated there that President Wilson is determined by force, if necessary, to employ the army either along the line or in Mexico in such a way as to insure the safety of American lives and property along the border.

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WANT TO KNOW ALLIES INTENTIONS

Washington, D. C., June 29.—Senator Stone's resolution asking the president to inform the senate regarding the real purpose of a commercial treaty being negotiated by the entente allies was adopted today by the senate. It particularly requests information as to what effect the treaty may have on the trade of the United States and other neutral countries.

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GRAVE MENACE IN MEXICAN SITUATION NOT WHOLLY REMOVED

Washington, D. C., June 29.—Release of the American troops captured at Carrizal has removed one dangerous element in the Mexican situation, but it was apparent today that it had only somewhat relieved and had not removed the grave menace to continuance of friendly relations between the United States and the Mexican defacto government.

By freeing the prisoners General Carranza met only one demand made by President Wilson. The other, that Carranza declare his future attitude toward the American forces in Mexico, remains unanswered until the latest communication arrives from Mexico City. It was expected today. On the supposition that the Carranza government may maintain its policy of attacking American forces moving in any direction except north activities looking toward speedy transportation of National Guards to the border showed no relaxation today.

There were two hopeful factors in the situation, however. First, whatever General Carranza's answer may be, it probably will require further diplomatic conversations, and thus hostilities may be averted, at least temporarily. Second, many observers were inclined to believe the yielding attitude of the Mexican government in the case of the prisoners indicates a tendency which may be reflected in further dealings.

The condition under which the United States government had refused to consider mediation, also is removed with the freeing of troops. Minister Calderon of Bolivia, had an engagement with Secretary Lansing to-day to discuss the Latin-American offers to assist in arbitrating the dispute.

It is believed considerable influence must have been exerted on General Carranza by South American governments, American interests with investments in Mexico and Mexican labor leaders who conferred with President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor here yesterday. Mr. Gompers sent a message to Carranza, personally appealing for action to prevent a break. One American company with interests in Mexico is reported to have spent several hundred dollars on cablegrams and telegrams to defacto government officials during the last few days.

President Wilson considered the situation sufficiently relieved today to plan a trip to Philadelphia, where he was to address the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, this afternoon.

Valuation Of Local Street Car Property Increased \$69,230

Columbus, O., June 29.—In valuations of street, suburban and interurban railroads of Ohio, totalling \$4,203,930 are noted in a comparison of these valuations for 1915 with those of 1915 announced today by the tax commission of Ohio.

Among the valuations included are:
Cincinnati, Georgetown & Portsmouth, 1916, \$636,390; 1915, \$659,580.

Gallipolis and Northern Traction Co., 1916, \$53,590; 1915, \$50,000.
Portsmouth Street Railroad & Light Co., 1916, \$1,058,310; 1915, \$989,080.
Scioto Valley Traction Co., \$1,843,930; 1915, \$1,777,270.

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Shoe Plants Close Saturday Noon Until After The Fourth

All shoe factory employees of the city will enjoy a Fourth of July vacation of two extra days. The Selby, Irving Drew and Excelsior shoe plants will close Saturday noon and will not open for work until Wednesday morning after the Fourth.

KELLEY BROS. ARE LOW

Kelley Bros. were the lowest on bids submitted Thursday for the Linden avenue improvement. The bids received were: Kelley Bros., on Peabody street, block, cement filler \$4200.42, tar filler \$4236.52, repressed block, cement filler \$4136.27; the S. Monroe & Son company, tar and cement filler \$4306.71; A. E. Miller Construction company, cement filler \$4493.95, tar filler \$4584.20. City engineer's estimate \$4522.32.

Now Union Painters
Edward Bolan and Carl Manley were taken in as members at the Painters' and Paperhangers' union meeting Tuesday evening.

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WITH THE SICK

Hazel, the three-year-old daughter of Charles Marion, a brickworker of Front street, who developed bronchial pneumonia following a siege of measles, is now reported recovering.

Mrs. L. Beaumont, of 1134 Fourteenth street, who has been critically ill for two weeks, was reported better today.

Mrs. Clara Bourgholtzer, of 1010 Fourth street, continues to improve daily from her recent surgical operation.

John Adams, of Union street, was reported critically ill with pneumonia, Thursday.

Miss Hannah Levi, who, recently submitted to a surgical operation performed in a Cincinnati hospital, continues to improve a little each day. Her brother, Louis Levi, will spend Sunday with her.

Miss Emily Ball has gone to Covington, Ky., to remain over the Fourth with her sister, Miss Anna Ball.

Bicycle Stolen

W. H. Stenger, of 1113 Fourth street, an employee of Albert Zoller's jewelry store, reported to the police that his gray frame bicycle was stolen from in front of the Mendel Liquor company's place, Wednesday.

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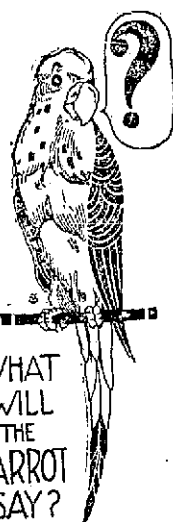
The Washington township trustees are considering holding a meeting Saturday to authorize the slaughter of all dogs bitten by a mad dog recently.

It is said seven or more were bitten by the dog which attacked

George Malone's cow. The cow died Monday after displaying symptoms of rabies.

Is In Cincinnati
John Capehart, coal dealer, was in Cincinnati on a business visit Wednesday.

Was In Queen City
W. A. Wurster, of the Tracy Shoe Company, was a business visitor to Cincinnati Wednesday.



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CONFLICTING TESTIMONY GIVEN BY JORDAN BOYS

OLDER SON SAYS HIS BROTHER NOT TRUTHFUL: MURDER TRIAL CONTINUES

The trial of Roy Jordan resumed Thursday morning at 8:30 o'clock with the court room filled with spectators, many of whom had not missed a session since the legal battle started Tuesday morning.

Anderson Howard, Genoa, W. Va., was the first witness summoned by the state. He said he had lived near the Jordan home in Lawrence county, Kentucky, for several years, previous to their moving to Ohio.

"Will ask you if you know of their domestic relations; their home life?"

"About their getting along. Well, I know they got along pretty bad. They had several rackets or fights."

Counsel for the defense asked the witness on cross examination if Mrs. Howard who testified Wednesday was his wife and he said: "One of them."

"Did you ever see them have any difficulty?"

"No, sir, I never saw them have any trouble."

"You never saw them have any trouble?"

"No, sir, but my wife told me."

"Never mind about what your wife told you. As far as you personally know, their domestic relations have been alright?"

"Well, I guess so far as I have seen. I have never seen them have any trouble."

"Didn't you talk to Mr. Jordan about his wife last winter?" questioned the prosecutor.

"Yes, sir."

"What was said, if anything, in this conversation?"

"Why I believe Roy said him and Pamela were not getting along as they used to."

All the testimony of the witness concerning the alleged trouble in Kentucky previous to Jordan's removal to Ohio was excluded by the court.

Presenting Attorney Joseph T. Micklethwait announced that the state would rest. This was at 9 o'clock. Sixteen witnesses were used in preparing the state's case.

Judge Thomas declared a recess for a few minutes to await until the three Jordan children could be brought from the Children's Home. The court delegated Attorney E. G. Miller to bring them to the court house.

Defense Is Begun

Dr. J. W. Daehler, coroner, was recalled by the defense as their first witness. The physician testified that he had rendered a written report on his findings at the inquest which was held Saturday, May 6, and stated that he had given Attorney Theo. K. Funk a copy of his report. The report was identified.

Roy Jordan, Jr., 17, son of the prisoner, was next called to the stand.

"Were you at your home on the second of May?"

"Yes, sir."

"Were you there on the night before the second?"

"Yes, sir."

"What room did you occupy?"

"The west bed room."

"How many beds were in that room?"

"Two."

"Who occupied the beds that night?"

"Me and my father and George."

"Where was Fred and Jim and your mother?"

"Jim and Fred were with my mother."

"What time did you get up?"

"I couldn't say what time it was. It was about six o'clock."

"Did you get up at the usual time?"

"It was a little late."

"Who got up first?"

The eldest son then described the room as he found it. The father, who was sitting near his counsel and just in front of the witness, took a deep interest in his testimony. Every few minutes he would wipe the perspiration from his brow.

"Up until the time you left that morning, Roy, did your mother and father have any trouble?"

"No, sir."

"When he would speak to her how would he address her?"

"He called her Pamela."

"Would he call her honey?"

"Sometimes."

Does Not Think Brother Truthful

"You have been with Jim, now do you know what his character is for the truth?"

"Jim is not very good. Sometimes he tells the truth and sometimes he does not."

On cross examination, Roy identified the shot gun as the one which belonged to his father.

"How long were you up on the hill?"

"About an hour."

"What did your pa say to you when you got to the house?"

"Hain't it awful."

"Did he say anything else?"

"No, sir."

"Didn't you testify before the grand jury that he said something else?"

"I don't know. I wasn't paying any attention."

"Did you do anything else before placing your mother's body on the bed?"

"Pa cut her apron strings off with my knife."

"What was there about the apron?"

"There was some blood. There wasn't any brains until pa picked them up and put them there."

"Why did he take the apron off?"

"I don't know, cause he wanted to take it off, I guess."

"What did he do with the apron?"

"Took it in the bedroom."

"What else did he do?"

"Put the brains in it."

"Where were the brains on the floor?"

"Twixt her and the head of the bed."

The position where the brains were found nearest to the position of the body was established by the witness upon the plat.

"What were you doing on the east side of the house?"

"I wasn't out there."

"You have taken considerable interest in this case, haven't you, Roy?"

"Well, I got some witnesses, yes, sir."

"Been talking a good deal about the case out there?"

"No, sir."

"Did you not state to William Skaggs that if your pa didn't get out to kill some of the state witnesses, you would?"

"No, sir."

"Who killed your ma?"

"I don't know."

"When you came into the room and found your mother lying there and took off her apron and took up the brains and blood, did you know she was killed?" asked Judge Thomas.

"I didn't take any thought."

"Wasn't there anything there to bring to your mind that something had happened?"

"There might have been to some people but it wasn't for me."

"I will ask you, if you said to Otto Fields, you know him don't you, that Jim had gone down there and spoiled the whole thing and that if you had your way about it you would put your 'Number Nines' through him?"

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"I will ask you, if you said to Otto Fields, you know him don't you, that Jim had gone down there and spoiled the whole thing and that if you had your way about it you would put your 'Number Nines' through him?"

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SPECIAL TOMORROW SPECIAL

"WILD BEASTS AT LARGE"

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Jordan Boy Testifies

The prosecutor took the spectators by complete surprise when he called for Frank Morris and, not getting a response, introduced James Jordan, the thirteen year old son of the accused. The lad's father had moved from his customary place at the table over near his counsel and the jury box.

When the boy entered the room, he turned squarely about and intently watched his son's face.

"The lad was dressed in a gray 'Buster Brown' suit and carried a straw hat in his hands. As he took the stand, his father leaned forward, placing his right hand over his mouth and watched the boy."

"How many brothers have you, Jim?"

"F-f-f-four," placing his hands over his eyes, he began to sob. The silence was only broken by the choking sobs of the lad.

"What are their names, Jim?"

The boy continued to sob and tears began to roll down his cheeks. Finally Judge Thomas instructed the witness to answer the question.

"Fred and Roy and George," between sobs.

"How long have you lived in Ohio?"

"About five years."

"How far from Lucasville do you live?"

"Three miles."

"Where were you on the second of May?"

"I don't know."

"Anything happen at your place?"

"Yes, sir."

"Where were you?"

"Upon the hill."

"Anyone with you?"

"Roy."

"Did you have any conversation before you went up?"

"Yes, sir. With pa and Roy."

"What was said?"

"He said he would kill my mother."

"Who did he say that to?"

"Me and Roy."

"What did your father say to you?"

"He said for us to go up on the hill and cut poles."

"Did you do it?"

"Yes, sir."

"Where did this conversation take place?"

"On the east side of the house."

"Did you come down?"

"Yes, sir, he hollered up for us and said that ma was dead."

"Who was first in the house?"

"Roy."

"Did you have any conversation after coming down?"

"Yes, sir."

"With whom?"

"My father."

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JORDAN TRIAL

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"What, if anything, was said?"

"No, sir."

"He said he killed my mother."

"Did he say anything else?"

"He said he wouldn't have killed her for the world if he could call her back."

The state announced that they had completed their examination and Attorney Funk asked the boy to remove his hands from his eyes. The boy complied but continued to sob at frequent intervals.

"Did you love your mother?"

"Yes, sir."

"What did you say when your father told you he was going to kill her? Did you go away so he could kill her?"

"Yes, sir."

"Where did you first tell this?"

"Before grand jury."

"You did not say anything about the conversation on the east side of the house before grand jury did you?"

"No, sir."

"Did they threaten you if you didn't tell?"

"They said if I didn't tell what I knew, they would put me in the sheriff's office that night."

"Did you tell what you knew then?"

"Yes, sir."

"Was that the reason?"

"Yes, sir."

"Would you have told it if they hadn't threatened you?"

"No, sir."

"Had you been in the jail before?"

"Yes, sir. I have been in the lock up."

"How long?"

"About a week."

"Was this soon after your mother's death?"

"Yes, sir."

"While there, did someone come to frighten you about it?"

"No, sir."

"What did you tell them before grand jury?"

"I was going to tell the truth."

"Why didn't you tell it before?"

"Cause."

"They bought you that suit of clothes, I believe?"

"Yes, sir."

"And gave you some money?"

"Yes, sir."

"Did people talk to you at the home?"

"Judge Beatty."

"You didn't tell him about your father saying he would kill your mother?"

"He didn't ask me."

"Did not this man here," pointing to Attorney O'Neal, "ask you if you were at the east end of the house?"

"If I said I wasn't, I don't recollect it."

"How long were you up in the woods before your father called you?"

"About an hour."

"Did your mother get breakfast?"

"Yes, sir."

"Was your mother sick?"

"Yes, sir."

"Was she under a doctor's attention?"

"She was."

"Where was your mother when you left for the woods?"

"Standing in the door."

"Was there anything said about her milking that morning?"

"My father started to milk and my mother wanted to and he said she wasn't able."

"Did she tell him that he had work to do and she would go to the milking?"

"Yes, sir."

"Did your father go to milk?"

"Yes, sir."

"Who gave him the bucket?"

"He had it with him."

Parents Had Never Had Trouble

"Had your father and mother ever had any trouble?"

"No, sir."

"Who got up first that morning?"

"I did to build a fire."

"Did your father get up soon after you did?"

"Yes, sir."

"Did your mother eat with you?"

"Yes, sir."

"Yes, sir. She ate a few bites."

"Did she have anything about her head?"

"Yes, a fascinator."

"Your father and mother getting along alright that morning?"

"No trouble."

"No, sir."

"What did he call her when he talked to her? Didn't he call her honey?"

"Yes, sir."

"Did you hear him call her honey that morning?"

"No, sir."

"Has your father ever asked your mother to have a doctor?"

"He begged her to get a doctor."

"Did you not say in a conversation with your father that you knew George had accidentally killed your mother?"

"No, sir."

"How did it happen that you went up on the hill to get the poles?"

"He told me to."

"Didn't he just tell Roy to go after the poles and you went with him?"

"No, sir, he told me to go help Roy."

"Something was said about a hoe?"

"I only know I broke it and brought it down for pa to fix and he didn't have time to fix it and I threw it in a tub of water."

"When did you pitch this into the tub?"

"Couple of days before."

"Do you think you would know the hoe if you saw it?"

"Yes, that's it," he replied as the attorney held the hoe before him.

"After you went up on the hill," asked the prosecutor, "did you hear anything?"

"Then he heard a gun."

"Yes, sir, I heard a gun."

"How long was it after you went up on the hill?"

"Before he hollowed. About three-quarters of an hour."

"Were you close to Roy?"

"Right below him. About three feet below him."

"I believe you were brought in to probate court once for not minding your parents and telling them stories?"

"No, sir."

"You were brought into court?"

"Yes, sir. I was going past Ward's and he said I was cussin' him and I waited for my father and told him when he came home. Frank Ward had me in."

"Frank Morris, who lives in the Flat Woods, about a mile from the Jordan home, testified that he was coming down a road on the morning of the crime about six o'clock and noticed the father, James and Roy standing on the east side of the house conversing."

"How long did they stand there?"

"About five minutes. I don't know; I wasn't payin' much attention."

"Do you know what they were doing?"

"I didn't know but I had a pretty good idea."

Before the witness left the room he strode over to the prosecuting attorney and said: "I am done here, I can go home now and go to work. Huh." His remark created considerable laughter from the spectators.

Said Mrs. Jordan Was Frightened

John Howell, this city, testified that Mrs. Jordan had come to his home on two occasions and that she was frightened when she called. The defense objected to the introduction of evidence that tended to prove the couple's domestic relations were far from tranquil at a remote date. The objection was overruled when the state announced that they intended to connect this testimony with present events.

Woman Says She Saw Wife Struck

Miss Mattie Coatsley, Genoa, W. Va., testified that Jordan's domestic relations were "not good." She claimed she saw Jordan strike his wife "a couple of

hicks' one day while they were in a corn field. This happened in Kentucky several years ago, according to the witness.

The defense questioned the woman about her moral character and the state objected. The objections were passed for the time.

Mrs. Stella Howard, Twelve Pole, W. Va., claimed she had known the Jordans for twelve years or more and that their domestic life had been "bad."

"Did you ever overhear him make any threats?"

"Yes, sir."

She then told of Jordan coming to her home several years ago and demanding to see his wife who was visiting there. He swore so violently and she said that she let Mrs. Jordan out a door in the store room. Jordan broke a window and climbed in, she claims, and threatened to kill her if she did not find Mrs. Jordan and threatened to kill his wife "if he found her."

Court adjourned to meet at 8:30 o'clock Thursday.

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A Troublesome Creditor.

The poet Clement Marot, being in very straitened circumstances, went to the king and said, "I have come to lay before your majesty a complaint against one of my creditors whose claims I have satisfied over and over again, and yet he persists in dunning and harassing me every day."

"Who is the scoundrel?" the king inquired.

"My stomach, sire. Though I have satisfied his wants time without number, it never ceases to torment, and I am utterly incapable of meeting its demands."

The king was pleased with the joke and allowed the poet a pension on the spot.

More "Souvenirs." See Page 11. adv

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Epworth League Holds Annual Meeting Here, Is Big Success

With three splendid sessions, Wednesday afternoon, evening and Thursday morning the Portsmouth District Epworth League Annual convention held at Manly church, came to a close Thursday morning.

Talks made after 2:30 Wednesday afternoon were among the best on the program. Charles Bennett gave a talk on "Has the Epworth League Outlived Its Usefulness?"

"It is a part of the church founded for training young people for the church and when it fails in this it can then be said it has outlived its usefulness. The league is still playing a very important part in the church of today and is being more and more useful," said Mr. Bennett.

"How To Maintain Attendance" was the subject of the talk made by E. A. Stendman of Sciotoville. "What is the purpose of the devotional meeting? How to attain this purpose" were the subjects discussed by Emma Hubert, of this city.

The following committees were appointed: Resolutions, Hazel McKinley, Lucasville, George Jenkins, Sedgewick, Mae Lee, Ironton; nominating committee, Lillie Sheppard, Sedgewick, Clara Boyer, Ironton, Bruce Thomas, Portsmouth.

The delegates and some local members boarded some twenty automobiles and enjoyed a long automobile trip. A trip was made to the new C. & O. bridge site, Sciotoville, to the Scioto river bridge and out Scioto Trail.

Wednesday evening's service opened at 7:30 o'clock. Joseph Carlin was in charge of the devotional service. A short musical program was then enjoyed until the arrival of the speaker of the evening, C. R. Barnhart, who came in on the 7:35 train from Circleville, Ohio.

Paul Swavel and Miss Letta Adams rendered a vocal duet accompanied by Roba Kennedy, pianist. Miss Bertha Stiger rendered a vocal solo with Miss Adams as accompanist on the piano. The Manly quartet, consisting of Roba Kennedy, Paul Swavel, Mrs. Clarence Davis and Ralph Riddleberger, rendered a vocal selection, Miss Adams being accompanist.

The district president, Prof. A. W. Stewart, of Trinity church, gave a few remarks and took charge of the meeting. He introduced C. R. Barnhart, secretary of the Ohio Conference Epworth League. Mr. Barnhart in opening his address said:

"I come to you tonight as a representative from the Epworth League, a great organization that has brought good to all nations and to all the world." He spoke of the four E. L. conventions held only last week in this state and how each had been marked by

large attendance and splendid sessions. "Twenty-seven years ago the first E. L. was organized. Great good has been accomplished in this time and it has fulfilled every expectation. In the last four years 1102 E. L. members have sailed for foreign fields to take up missionary work. Over \$100,000 has been given by Epworth league for the promotion of missionary work. It is estimated that 48,000 young people are in our service schools. From this can be gained an idea of how many young people attend the devotional services of the E. L. There is a great field for every league."

Mr. Barnhart then told of how the E. L. leaders had gotten together and had had printed a folder setting forth work for each league which when followed out will find all leagues working together with the same aims or goals. "Efficiency plus consecration, spells success. What we are needing today in the church is the consecration of young people."

He then told of the work of the E. L. institute. In 1915 400 young men and young women gave themselves to life work through the inspirations of the institute. "Three hundred gave themselves to life work through inspirations of the district conventions. Mr. Barnhart then told of the different courses of work taken up in the institutes. "Let us all put out shoulders to the wheel, don't wait for someone else to do it, do it yourself."

Rev. C. Lloyd Streeker dismissed the meeting by leading in prayer.

The closing session opened at nine o'clock Thursday morning. Rev. C. E. Chandler, pastor of Bigelow church, was on the program as the speaker of the morning but in his absence the services of Rev. George L. Davis were secured.

At the opening of the morning session the reports from the different leagues were read and each report showed an increase in membership and that more interest is being manifested in the Epworth League work. Rev. George L. Davis then gave a very interesting and helpful talk on missionary work in China. Rev. Davis is a returned missionary and is well acquainted with mission work across the sea. He told of the characteristics of the Chinese. Rev. Davis also explained his return to this country. He is working in the interest of a Methodist church that is being built by Methodists in Peking, China.

The district officers gave their reports and the convention was brought to a close by the election of officers which resulted in the reelection of all the former officers except President A. W.

Stewart. The new president is George Jenkins, of Sedgewick, O. The other officers are as follows: Belle Burton, first vice president; Eva Hamilton, second vice president; Mrs. Anna Evans, third vice president; Mrs. Bess Turner, fourth vice president; Miss Margaret Reif, corresponding secretary; Miss Florence Gray, recording secretary; Bruce Thomas, treasurer, and Miss Anna Davis, Junior League superintendent.

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FOR SALE: Auto truck, good condition. Price \$135. 1546 7th. 26-6t

FOR SALE: 5 passenger touring car No. 1 condition, \$375. 5 passenger car, electric starter, good as new, \$700. One new 5 passenger car, electric starter, \$600. Six passenger touring car, first class condition, electric starter, \$800. Cars can be seen at Royal A. Oakes' garage, 1638 Gallia, opposite N. & W. freight depot. 26-6t

FOR SALE: 25 ft. Brooks motorboat. Model '9 h. p. Phone 1080-R. 24-6t

FOR SALE: J. I. Case threshing machine in good condition. John Graf, Rushtown, O. 24-6t

FOR SALE: Good horse, wagon and harness. Cheap if sold at once. Phone 420. 23-6t

FOR SALE: Small supply of stereotypic mats. Better than paper for laying under carpets. The Times Office. 4-1t

FOR SALE: 4 hole gas stove, good as new, sold cheap. Inquire 1025 10th St. 27-3t

FOR SALE:—Our Kwiklite flashlights are now on exhibition in our show window and you may get one for nothing. Watch it burn. Central Hardware Co. 29-1t

FOR SALE:—Studebaker 7 passenger No. 1 condition. Price \$450. Also Ford touring car, 1914 model. Phone 201. 29-3t

FOR SALE:—180 acres, 16 miles back of Vanceburg, Ky., on the waters of Kinnickinnick. Price \$500. Inquire 1301 Grandview. 29-2t

FOR RENT:—One or two nicely furnished light housekeeping rooms, bath complete. 1024 Gallia. 29-3t

FOR SALE:—One of best paying restaurants and pool rooms in southern Ohio. Address Box 235, Peebles, Ohio. 29-4t

FOR SALE:—Overland automobile in good condition. cheap, at Winter's shoe store. 29-1t

FOR SALE:—Two five room houses on 10th St. See J. J. Schlichter, 724 10th. 27-10t

FOR SALE:—Studebaker wagon buggy, double of set tug harness, drag ladder. 3849 E. Rhodes avenue. 28-3t

FOR SALE:—6 chair shoe shine outfit. 2100 11th St. 28-4t

FOR SALE:—Horse and buggy. 1033 15th. 28-6t

FOR SALE:—Mule, weight about 1000 lbs. J. R. Morton, Fullerton, Ky. 28-1t

FOR SALE:—Lot, Sunset Park addition, Scioto Trail. B. A. Leichter, Phone 519 Y or 1350. 28-4t

FOR SALE:—Modern house on Moulton Place, down town above flood, 6 rooms, bath, basement with laundry tubs, sanitary connections, hardwood finish, electric and gas fixtures. This home can be purchased at \$4500 with small amount of money. Owned by Mero O. Du-duit, phone 1183-L. 300 Masonic Temple. 27-5t

FOR SALE:—Touring car cheap. Call 2204 7th. 27-5t

FOR SALE:—5 room cottage, 1238 9th. Bath, cistern, newly papered. Well built, vacant. Fine location. Loans arranged. P. W. Kileoyne, Room 62 First National Bank, Phone 1698. 28-1t

FOR SALE:—Steinberg upright grand piano in good condition. \$100. Baldwin Co., 822 Chillicothe. 27-3t

FOR SALE:—1 phaeton, one surrey and horse. Call phone 1371. Inquire 718 John. 24-1t

FOR SALE:—Day old chicks. Get your fall chicks now. Also leave orders for future hatching. Phone 736-X. 26-1t

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FOR RENT:—2 comfortable sleeping rooms. Call 1671-R. 29-3t

FOR RENT:—2 furnished rooms, water and gas range in kitchen, \$3.50 per week. 311 Offner. 29-3t

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Nice 4 room cottage, Third street, near Court, water, gas, rents for \$10.00 per month. Price \$1200

Large 10 room house, Third street, near Court, water, gas, pantry. Price \$2200

Nice 4 room cottage, Boundary street, near Seventh, water, gas, cistern, nice lot. Price \$1600

Good 5 room, two story house, Seventh street near Broadway. Price \$1700

Large new 5 room house, Campbell avenue, bath, pantry, front and rear porch, hardwood floors, a nice home, \$350 cash, balance as rent, vacant. Price \$2800

Large new 6 room house, Twelfth street, near Offner, bath, sliding doors, pantry, basement under entire house, \$300 cash, balance as rent, vacant. Price \$2850

Large, new, 6 room house, Kinney Lane, near Chillicothe street, gas and electric fixtures, front and rear porch, sliding doors, street assessments all paid, lot 140 ft. deep, \$300 cash, balance as rent, vacant. Price \$3500

Large 4 room cottage, Oakland avenue, bath, large pantry, two cabinet mantels, front and rear porch, newly painted and papered, a fine small home. Price \$2600

Large, new, 7 room house, Kinney Lane near Waller, reception hall, pantry, bath, gas and cistern, front and rear porch, furnace, large lot, \$500 cash, balance as rent

Two fine acre lots in Wheelersburg, 5 minutes walk from churches and schools of all kinds, 5 minutes walk from traction and N. & W. station, 20 ft. above all high water, would trade for city property.

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FOR RENT:—Two unfurnished rooms, no children. 1828 11th. 23-1t

FOR RENT:—Convenient 3 room flat on Fourth. Phone 625-L. 22-1t

FOR RENT:—6 room house. Inquire 335 Second. 27-3t

FOR RENT:—Nicely furnished room with all conveniences. 618 Washington. 27-1t

FOR RENT:—3 furnished rooms, bath, for housekeeping, 503 6th. Phone 716 L. 28-3t

FOR RENT:—Large store room, corner 9th and Offner. Grassman, 715 Chillicothe. 28-6t

FOR RENT:—4 rooms and bath \$12 per month, no children 1120 Lawson. 28-2t

FOR RENT:—2 large rooms furnished for light housekeeping, bath and phone. 420 Campbell. Phone 1232-L. 28-3t

FOR RENT:—3 room flat over American restaurant. No children. Keys at Wurster Bros. 28-4t

FOR RENT:—5 room house, newly papered, large lot and stable. 521 7th St. Inquire Labold Millinery. Phone 1296-R. 28-4t

FOR RENT:—New modern 6 room and bath on Moulton Place, downtown. See Horro Bros. 28-1t

FOR RENT:—New, modern 5 room and bath on Baird avenue. See Horro Bros. 28-1t

FOR RENT:—Furnished house, bath. Mrs. Mackintosh, 1814 6th. 28-3t

FOR RENT:—Rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Cheap rent. 1320 Summit. Phone 1736-L. 28-1t

FOR RENT:—3 rooms for light housekeeping or roomers, bath. 1725 Oakland. 28-3t

FOR RENT OR SALE:—New brick eight room house, with every modern convenience. Corner Fourth and Washington. Dr. P. J. Kline. 26-12t

FOR RENT:—Lower flat in Alexander building, one door east of Chillicothe on Second street. Call John A. Grimes, phone 1070 or 1024 2nd St. 15-1t

FOR RENT:—Light housekeeping rooms. 930 Gallia. 17-1t

FOR RENT:—Furnished housekeeping rooms. 1118 Gallia. 9-1t

FOR RENT:—Furnished front room. 1416 Gallia. 16-1t

FOR RENT:—Modern 5 room flat, centrally located. 718 6th. Phone 463-Y. 10-1t

FOR RENT:—Business room, Gallia and Lincoln. J. A. Maxwell. 26-1t

FOR RENT:—Downstairs flat, 4 furnished rooms, absolutely modern. Phone 533 or 2400-L. 24-1t

FOR RENT:—Furnished room with bath. 1004 9th St. 24-1t

FOR RENT:—Furnished house with piano; to man and wife; modern conveniences. Phone 801-X. 23-1t

LOST

LOST:—Baby cap with blue ribbons. Phone 1638-R or 1915 Hutchins. 28-2t

NEW YORK STOCKS

New York, June 29.—Opening gains of 3 to 10 points in leading stocks, followed by the reactions of 2 to 5 points, measured Wall Street's attitude towards the continued uncertainties in the Mexican situation.

The importance of the Mexican situation as a financial factor was demonstrated at the opening of today's market. The decision of the Mexican government to release the American troops was made the occasion of excited trading in which special issues rose 2 to 5 points with 10 for Mexican Petroleum.

Other active stocks including rails, the war group and metals were higher by 2 to 3 points. United States Steel first transaction consisted of 13,000 at 81 to 81 1/2, an extreme gain of 1 1/2. Reactions of 1 to 4 points resulting mainly from profit taking were registered before the end of the first half hour.

The buying movement, which included much covering of short accounts, soon ran its course, leading to a decline to less than normal proportions in the afternoon. There were further reactions, Mexican Petroleum yielding about half its gains, while Maxwell Motors and similar specialties showed greater reversals. Reading and Southern Pacific receded 1 to 2 points and U. S. Steel, which led the busy first hour, lost all but a fraction of its gain. This same condition applied to shipping shares and miscellaneous issues. Bonds were firm.

Additional realizing combined with weakness in speculative issues, caused further impairment later. This was offset, however, by the strength of steel and other leaders. The closing was strong.

CLOSING PRICES

NEW YORK STOCKS

Allis-Chalmers 33
American Steel Sugar 86
American Can 52 1/2
American Car and Foundry 51 1/2
American Locomotive 67 1/2
American Smelting and Refining 30 1/2
American Sugar Refining 30 1/2
American Tel. and Tel. 100
Anacostia Copper 82
Atchafalpa 105
Baldwin Locomotive 77 1/2
Baltimore and Ohio 88 1/2
Bethlehem Steel 41 1/2
Brooklyn Rap. Transit 85 1/2
Bulls and Superior 69
California Petroleum 15 1/2
Canadian Pacific 47 1/2
Central Leather 57
Chesapeake and Ohio 61 1/2
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul 97 1/2
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. Ry. 22 1/2
Chico Copper 50
Colorado Fuel and Iron 41 1/2
Columbia Gas 70 1/2
Crescent Steel 70 1/2
Denver and Rio Grande prd. 31
Erie 35 1/2
General Electric 167
Goodrich Co. 75
Great Northern Ore. rfs. 31 1/2
Great Northern prd. 120 1/2
Illinois Central 105
Interborough Consol. Corp. 11 1/2
Inter. Harb. and N. Y. 119 1/2
Inter. Merc. Mar. prd. rfs. 92 1/2
Kaiser Aluminum Steel 67
Lehigh Valley 78 1/2
Louisville and Nashville 132 1/2
Maxwell Motor Co. 83
Mexican Petroleum 97 1/2
Miami Copper 38
Missouri, Kansas and Texas prd. 12 1/2
Missouri Pacific 64 1/2
National Lead 66
New York Central 104 1/2
N. Y. N. H. and Hartford 61 1/2
Norfolk and Western 100 1/2
Northern Pacific 113 1/2
Pennsylvania 97 1/2
Ray Consolidated Copper 22 1/2
Reading 97 1/2
Republic Iron and Steel 41 1/2
Southern Railway 22 1/2
Studebaker Co. 107 1/2
Texas Co. 184 1/2
Tennessee Copper 53
Union Pacific 187 1/2
United States Rubber 53 1/2
United States Steel 81 1/2
United States Steel prd. 147 1/2
Utah Copper 77
Wabash prd. 8 25/32
Western Union 93 1/2
Westinghouse Electric 50 1/2
Kennebec Copper 47 1/2

CHICAGO GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Chicago, June 29.—Notwithstanding higher quotations from Liverpool and despite too much rain in the domestic crop region, wheat prices today underwent a sag. Opening prices which ranged from a shade off to 1/4c higher with July at \$1.00 to \$1.01 and September at \$1.01 to \$1.02, were followed by a material down turn all around.

Closing was strong, 1/4c to 1/2c net higher, with July at \$1.01 1/2 to \$1.02 and September at \$1.02 1/2 to \$1.03.

Better weather conditions eased the market for corn. Sellers, however, were not aggressive. After opening 1/4c off to 1/2c, prices made a slight rally in nearby deliveries.

Active export demand with lightness of offerings added later to cause a further hardening of prices. The close was firm at 1/4c net advance. Oats had no independent action. Provisions had a downward trend. The chief weakness in the hog market.

OPENING PRICES
Chicago, June 29.—Wheat—July \$1.00 1/2; Sept. \$1.01 1/2; Dec. \$1.02 1/2; 1917 \$1.03 1/2.

Corn—July 71 1/2; Sept. 73 1/2; Dec. 75 1/2; 1917 77 1/2.

Oats—July 38 1/2; Sept. 39 1/2; Dec. 40 1/2; 1917 41 1/2.

PROVISIONS CLOSE
Pork—July 23.00; Sept. 22.65; Lard—July 13.15; Sept. 13.35; Ribs—July 13.45; Sept. 13.75.

TOLEDO GRAIN
Toledo, June 29.—Wheat—Cash \$1.07 1/2; July \$1.08; Sept. \$1.11 1/2.

Corn—Cash 71 1/2; July 74 1/2; Sept. 76 1/2; 1917 78 1/2.

Oats—Cash 38 1/2; July 39 1/2; Sept. 40 1/2; 1917 41 1/2.

LIVE STOCK MARKET

CHICAGO

Chicago, June 29.—Hogs—Receipts 95,000; slow; bulk \$9.50 to \$9.75; light \$9.25 to \$9.50; mixed \$9.25 to \$9.50; heavy \$9.25 to \$9.50; rough \$9.25 to \$9.50; pigs \$7.50 to \$9.25.

Cattle—Receipts 4,000; weak; native beef cattle \$7.50 to \$11.25; stockers and feeders \$7.50 to \$8.50; cows and heifers \$3.15 to \$3.85; calves \$3.50 to \$5.00.

Sheep—Receipts 11,000; weak; wethers \$6.00 to \$7.00; lambs \$7.25 to \$9.00; spring \$7.50 to \$10.85.

CINCINNATI

Cincinnati, June 29.—Hogs—Receipts 3,000; slow; packers and butchers \$9.00 to \$9.50; common to choice \$8.75 to \$9.25; pigs and lights \$6.25 to \$6.50.

Cattle—Receipts 200; slow. Calves—Strong, \$5.00 to \$11.50. Sheep—Receipts 3,000; steady; lambs steady.

PITTSBURGH
Pittsburgh, June 29.—Hogs—Receipts 2,000; steady; heavies and heavy Yorkers \$10.00 to \$10.50; light Yorkers \$9.75 to \$10.00; pigs \$9.00 to \$9.50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 1,000; lower; top sheep \$7.50; top lambs \$9.00. Calves—Receipts 100; steady; top \$12.50.

CLEVELAND
Cleveland, June 29.—Cattle—Receipts 150; steady; calves, receipts 100; strong. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 1,000; weak.

Hogs—Receipts 2,500; 50 to 100 lower; Yorkers, heavies and mediums \$9.25 to \$9.50; pigs \$8.50; roughs \$8.00; stags \$7.2

Andersons' Store Will NOT Be Open Saturday Evening!

Until September 1st Andersons' Store Will Close at 5:30 on Saturdays, and at 12 O'clock Noon on Thursdays

PLAYGROUNDS FOR "KIDS" ASSURED; MONEY RAISED

The plan of the women interested in securing a playground in York Place for the "kids" of the city, has been an unqualified success, due to the liberality of Portsmouth citizens, and the energy and enthusiasm of the Boy Scouts, who collected the money.

The good women hoped to raise \$250 and when the campaign closed at noon today \$282.75 had been collected.

The committee in charge, Mrs. C. W. Rowe, chairman, wish to thank all of the donors, and all who in any way helped to make the affair a success. They feel especially kind toward the Boy Scouts and their leader, M. H. Kinsley who worked so faithfully for the fund.

Equipment will be installed as soon as possible and the youngsters will have an opportunity to enjoy healthful recreations during the warm months.

Following is a list of the collectors and subscribers to the fund:

Name	Amount Collected
London and Harold Regale	\$65.40
Fred Price, Jr.	62.20
Donald Jordan and Harry Starin	46.70
Raymond Russell and Raymond Moritz	21.00
Homer Hewitt	13.00
Fletcher Pace	11.00
Ronald Brown	10.50
Harold Cummins and Chas. Crabtree	10.50
Richard Knest and Richard Anderson	10.00
Donald Russell	7.00
Harold Barber and Herbert Comins	7.00
Coleman Grimes	5.00
Walter Chick	4.00
James Scott	4.00
Miscellaneous	5.45
Total	\$282.75

Additional Contributors to Playgrounds Fund

Balance from Wednesday	\$216.10
M. Schapiro	1.00
C. Uhl	.50
Mutter Bros.	1.00
Frank Moulton	1.00
Edison Bros.	1.00
American Restaurant	.50
Henry Ruel	1.00
Chabot & Keller	.50
Friend	1.00
Rev. L. Strecker	1.00
J. I. Marsh	1.00
Dr. O. D. Tatje	1.00
C. E. Dowling	1.00
F. A. Ruhlman	1.00
McGarry, the tailor	1.00
W. A. Inman	1.00
Mrs. Dave Hughes	1.00
Vulcan Last Co.	1.00
Mark W. Selby	1.00
N. B. Griffin	1.00
American Steam Laundry	1.00
C. N. Mitchell	1.00
Dr. C. S. Early	1.00
J. R. Hughes	.50
D. D. Mitchell	1.00
P. H. Harshel	1.00
L. F. Lemon	1.00
Port. Supply Co.	1.00
Henry Prescott	1.00
Rev. J. E. Dibert	1.00
N. J. Mitchell	1.00
Geo. Freshell	1.00
G. D. Selby	1.00
St. Strans	1.00
A. M. Glockner	1.00
Hutchinson-Wamser Co.	1.00
Cecil Miller	.50
Mrs. J. T. Carey	1.00
Mrs. Lucien Doly	1.00
Dr. G. W. Grimes	1.00
Grover C. Kinley	1.00
Dr. Fitch	1.00
Friend	.10
Messrs. Clemmens	1.00
J. F. Taylor	1.00

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O. C. Sprague
Drew Leedom
Arthur Knowles
J. H. Shonkewiler
Western Union Co.
Coburn Bros.
Schirrmann Confection
Simpson Foundry
Mrs. Geo. Small
Peebles Bathing Beach
H. Stanley McCall
John Werner
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Pure Milk Co.
Dr. W. W. Smith
A. G. Dunn
Mrs. D. A. Berndt
John T. Breese
Rev. B. B. Cartwright

Total \$282.75
Kabo Corsets, Spring styles, \$1.00 and \$1.50 values 79c. At the Atlas. See ad. Page 11. adv
Fritz Dill, a Fourth street barber, is having his property repainted.

Dr. Edwards' STRENGTH TONIC

This Tonic which Dr. Edwards recommends is designed to restore strength to the weak, strength to the muscles, strength to the mind and strength to the nerves.

It is given to restore to the blood that rich red color which every weak and run-down person must have before he can get well and strong.

That Natural Ruddy Color

Of good health is absent in cases of thin, weak and run-down patients. Their cheeks, lips and eyelids lack that normal blood tint; and the feeling of well being is not with them. Dr. Edwards' Strength Tonic restores the color to the blood, drives away that sickly greenish pallor of the complexion and supplies fuel for the vital fire in weak and thin people.

Nervous Patients

Dr. Edwards says patients are nervous because they do not have enough rich, red blood to feed the nerves. So he made this Tonic to give the blood just what it needs for that purpose.

Sugar Coated Tablets

Dr. Edwards has his Tonic put in a sugar coated tablet so it will be pleasant to take and will not injure the teeth. Pale, thin, weak and run-down people contract diseases more frequently than well ones. They are liable to have Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Bright's Disease, Nervous Dyspepsia, Insanity, Fevers and Consumption.

Don't Have These

Why not put yourself in shape not to have these diseases by letting Dr. Edwards' Strength Tonic help you out of your nervous and run-down condition? It will build you up right from the start by increasing your appetite, toning up the nervous system, enriching the blood and increasing your vital force. For sale by your druggist.

Mighty Fine Cow, But Had Not A Tooth

That a skilled barber cannot get onto the fine points of farming from the very jump is shown by the experience of Ralph Swadener, who for the past several years had been operating a barber parlor at Ninth and Findlay streets. However, Mr. Swadener's experience does not so much deal with tilling the soil as it does with buying a cow.

When Swadener sold his shop to Dick Millison several weeks ago and purchased a little farm on the Soloto Trail he immediately subscribed for several farm journals and thought that ere long he would be in George Davis' class as an agriculturist. Now Ralph probably did get the theory down pat, so far as enriching the soil, the planting of corn and beans, while he always did have a fair smattering of the art of raising chickens.

But what has all this got to do with buying a cow? On all well regulated farms, a cow is a necessity. Ralph had the chickens, two pigs and a fine garden prospect but he didn't have a cow.

And so he started forth in search of one and he found just what he imagined was a perfectly sound milk producer and paid a top price for her. He was mighty proud, was Farmer Swadener, when he led that cow into the barn

yard. He called his good wife to see "Bossie." She was fat and sleek, gentle as a lamb and would "stand without hitchin'." But she didn't seem to thrive on the Swadener farm. In a few days she had lost several pounds and her milk was rapidly drying up. Farmer Swadener noticed she did not eat the corn, and he began going through his veterinary books to discover the cause. He imagined she had the colic or pink eye or something. Soon her hair began to curl up and it looked as though "Bossie" was going to die. He called in one of his neighbors and asked him to examine the cow.

Soon said neighbor discovered the poor cow didn't have a single solitary tooth. It was no wonder she couldn't eat corn and hay and other like food.

Farmer Swadener then concluded that he had had one slipped over on him. Calling to his assistance the service of the Clay township constable, Ralph and the minion of the law led the poor critter back to the farmer from whom she had been purchased and demanded the money that had been paid for her. This farmer happened to be an obliging sort of a chap and he handed back the money and Farmer Swadener is now in the market for another cow, one with teeth, by Heck.

EARL L. SMITH HAS TAKEN BRIDE

Lexington, Ky., June 29.—Earl L. Smith, a well-known Portsmouth baseball player, was married to Miss Nettie E. Hobbs, only daughter of D. B. Hobbs, a wealthy farmer and merchant, at St. Helena, Ky., yesterday. The couple came here last night, enroute to Portsmouth. Mr. Smith is the "right-fielder" of the Omaha, Neb., team, in the Western League.

Mr. and Mrs. Smith arrived here this afternoon from Lexington and will be the guests of the bridegroom's parents, Sheriff and Mrs. E. W. Smith, until Saturday morning, when they will leave for Omaha. Mr. Smith is a very popular and sterling young man and his friends will hasten to extend their best wishes and congratulations.

Gun Toters Held To Grand Jury; Police News

Additional witnesses were produced in police court Thursday to show that Aron Shockey and George Housley, Southern negroes, were toting guns when they arrived in the city, and they were accordingly held to the grand jury in the sum of \$200 each.

Effie Thompson, a North End woman, who was on another of her "periodicals," was fined \$5 for drunkenness, but the fine was suspended upon her promise to mend her ways. Fred Wilson was fined \$10 and costs, half suspended, for assaulting his wife, Retta Wilson. They are colored.

A man giving the name of E. J. Kelley and New Boston as his home pleaded guilty to making improper advances to Ethel Markins, 14, of No. 1015 Mill street, and Nellie Car-

NEGOTIATE LOAN TO FINANCE NEW SCHOOL

The Rev. J. E. McGuirk, pastor of Holy Redeemer church, announced Thursday that he had negotiated a loan of \$40,000 at 5 per cent with the Western and Southern Life Insurance Co. to finance the new \$43,000 Holy Redeemer

school building. George W. Baker, a Cincinnati contractor, who was the lowest bidder today formally signed the contract. Grade lines of the excavation were run today and the excavating will be completed by the first of the week.

BANQUET PLANS ARE COMPLETED

Final arrangements have been completed for the first banquet of the West End Business Men's Association.

It will be held in The Club, Fourth and Court streets at six o'clock Friday evening and arrangements have been made for 150 guests. Attorney Mark Crawford will act as toastmaster and the program calls for speeches by some of the city's best known and most influential citizens. The banquet promises to be one elegant affair and will be served by the ladies of the All Saints parish.

It is expected to mark the beginning of a new business era in the West End.

RUGS

A beautiful line of Rugs, a large selection of Rugs, all quality of rugs at low prices.

ALSPAUGH adv 10tf

Helpless Drunk

Joe Melcher, an aged East End citizen, was found helplessly drunk at Eleventh and Scott streets by Officer Price Thursday. He had to be carried bodily to and from the patrol. The police are investigating a story of some boys who claimed to have seen a man taking money from Melcher's pockets.

More "Souvenirs". See Page 11. adv

Plan For Initiation

Rusk Court, Independent Order of Foresters, are planning for a big class initiation to be held the middle of July.

Real "Onyx" Silk Hose, \$1.00 quality 69c. At the Atlas. See ad. Page 11. adv

Will Return Here

Miss Lydia Goodpaster, who returned to her home in Mt. Sterling, Ky., Thursday, after a month's visit with her uncle, Grocer James Goodpaster, of Twelfth and Waller streets, expects to come back later to keep house for him. Miss Goodpaster has been a music teacher in Mt. Sterling for the past fifteen years.

ALSPAUGH

for a good selection of Furniture. adv 10tf

ter, 16, of No. 1102 Mill street, whom he followed around Wednesday afternoon, and was fined \$10.

Plain drunks giving the names of Sam Winters and John Taylor were fined \$5 each.

Four vagrants arrested by Officer Dobbins and giving the names of Enoch Dunham, Frank Brown, Thomas Dixon and Earl Benborn, were committed to the work gang.

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Let us frankly have something to say on this very practical question of what you will pay for your corsets. You are perhaps aware that there is a distinct tendency toward higher grades. BON-TON corsets with their finer materials and assured precision in fitting, lead to the true economy that comes of better service. And in addition the wearer has the satisfaction of more successful gowning over a figure of heightened stylishness and charm. Consult our proprietors today—it will pay you.



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Quickly put on and off—enable mother to dress baby without turning him over. The up-to-date way. ASK TO SEE THEM. NON-SHRINKABLE - GUARANTEED

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and leading man were center figures in a tennis match.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hopkins have moved from Ashland, Ky., to Portsmouth and are living at the corner of Sixth and Brown streets.

The Misses Katherine and Grace Burchett, of Wolf, Ky., are visiting their brother, Herbert Burchett, on Rhodes avenue.

Mr. August Deschler, of Chillicothe, is a business visitor in town, and while here was the guest of his

Fashion's Approval

has been set on Sports Clothes and every woman is wearing them whether she is a sportswoman or simply looks on. PICTORIAL REVIEW PATTERNS for August show them at their best.

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daughter, Mrs. Louis Hurth, of Gay street.

Mr. George Bennett and Mrs. William Keel, of St. Louis, Mo., are guests at the homes of Mrs. T. M. Lynn and Mrs. John Jones. They arrived last evening. Mr. and Mrs. Charles Micklethwait, of Cleveland, and Mrs. Wesley Stegman, of Cincinnati, will arrive Saturday to visit at the Lynn home.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rader, of Court street, entertained at dinner Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Eberts and son, Paul, of Columbus, O., H. H. Hansen and family, of Slocum's Station, and Mr. and Mrs. H. Brunner, of Portsmouth.

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Mr. and Mrs. McGhee and daughters, Helen Mae and Sarah, of Eighteenth street, will start Saturday on a motor trip to Wheeling, W. Va.

Miss Katherine Moeller, who has been spending the past three weeks with relatives in Danville, Ill., will arrive home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Selby and daughters, Gladys and Mary Louise, have gone to Indianapolis, Ind., to visit relatives.

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VICTIM OF SHOOTING BLAMES WIFE FOR TROUBLE

Declares He Had Cause For Jealousy; Charles H. Hill Shot By 'Red' Kennedy; Boat Is Scene Of Tragedy

With a bullet lodged in his abdomen and a dangerous bullet wound in his neck, Charles H. Hill, aged 27, lies in a precarious condition at the Hempstead hospital. Grover "Red" Kennedy, aged 24, charged with shooting Hill, is missing. He is supposed to have jumped into a boat and crossed the Ohio river at Sciotoville last night and escaped to Kentucky.

The shooting took place last night on a shanty boat owned by Hill and moored just below the new C. & O. bridge that is to span the Ohio river at Sciotoville.

Mrs. Hill was present when the shooting occurred and she made an unsuccessful attempt to wrest the gun, a 41 caliber Colt, from the hands of Kennedy. The two men scuffled for a short time in the little craft before Kennedy secured the revolver concealed under the pillow of a bed and fired twice at Hill within a few feet of him. Both bullets took effect.

Jealousy is supposed to have led up to the shooting. This theory given credence at Sciotoville from the fact that Kennedy, it is claimed, was frequently seen in the company of Mrs. Hill. At the hospital last night Hill was able to talk and looking up into the eyes of his wife, said: "It was my temper again. I guess this time I am gone."

Wounded Man Starts For Help

Shortly after the shooting Hill started up the river grade at Sciotoville, and reaching the porch of the home of John McKinney, he fell on the floor, his clothes being saturated with blood. Mr. McKinney rushed to his door armed with a cane knife, as he thought burglars had visited his home, and found Hill writhing in pain. Some time was lost before Dr. York could be located and arriving upon the scene, he ordered Hill removed to the hospital, and his wife accompanied him.

At the hospital it was stated this morning that Hill had a bad night and his condition was very serious.

Had Been Quarreling With His Wife

About ten days ago Charles Hill wrote to Grover Kennedy, who resides near Proctorsville, Lawrence county, and asked him to come to Sciotoville as he could secure work for him. Kennedy arrived at that village on June 20 and accepted employment on the new C. & O. railroad. He occupied a shanty boat moored just a few yards above the Hill boat. For several days everything passed smoothly between the parties, but since Sunday it is claimed that Hill has been quarreling with his wife and expressed a desire to leave Sciotoville, wanting to go down the river. Mrs. Hill said she was going to stay at Sciotoville, as she was averse to leaving behind any debts, saying she owed a grocery bill.

A Times man, who visited the scene this morning was told that Hill picked up his belongings last

night and had started away with his other boat on which Kennedy had been staying and after landing it at the Sciotoville grade had returned to his houseboat. He found Kennedy in the boat and the two men soon passed heated words that led to the shooting.

Kennedy, according to Mrs. Hill's statement this morning, knew that she kept a gun under her pillow and she supposed that he secured it and shot her husband with her gun. She says loud words were exchanged before a shot was fired. Then one shot was fired. At the second one she says she heard her husband say: "Oh Lord, I am shot." It was then that Mrs. Hill fled from the boat and ran screaming up the grade.

Mrs. Hill says that her husband blew the light out in the boat as soon as he reached it and the two men battled desperately in the dark. She says it was so dark that she could not see what her husband was defending himself with.

Gun Was A Present To Wife

Mrs. Hill said the gun, a 41 Colt pistol, was her own and was a present from her husband. She said he purchased it at a second hand store for \$12.50 and gave it to her to protect herself with when alone on the boat.

Asked how Kennedy knew that she kept the gun under the pillow, she claimed that her husband had repeatedly cleaned and oiled the pistol in Kennedy's presence.

She said that in mopping the blood from the floor she found Kennedy's small black soft hat underneath the bed. The gun with which her husband was shot, she said, she had found just a few minutes before or as she was descending the river bank to board the boat. It lay in an old empty box on the bank a short distance from the water's edge.

Mrs. Hill had just returned to the boat after her all night's vigil at her husband's bedside in Hempstead hospital when a Times man arrived. She appeared considerably distressed. "It looks as though it had to be," she exclaimed, tears coming to her eyes, as she exhibited two orders Hill had given on his time, directing his foreman and truckkeeper on the C. & O. and Northern bridge work to turn over what money was due him to his wife. One of the notes bore the date of June 27th and the other June 30th. She had just found them while straightening up the bed room.

Says Jealousy Not The Cause

Mrs. Hill vehemently denied that her husband's jealousy was responsible for the shooting, claiming that he would not listen to Kennedy's own suggestion that he had better seek a different boarding place because of their quarrels.

Mrs. Hill described the events leading up to the shooting as follows: "Kennedy had not been around all day. We had late

dinner so we had not eaten any supper when Kennedy came in the evening. It was a little after nine o'clock. Kennedy said: 'Charlie I believe I'll go hunt me another boarding place,' and Charlie said to him 'No you don't have to go.' Charlie packed up his clothes and things and putting them on the other boat shoved out. He didn't say where he was going and I supposed he was going down the river but instead he landed the boat at the Sciotoville grade. In a little while he came back. I didn't know who it was. He ran in on the plank. I was sitting in the door at the upper end of the boat and had just lifted something from the floor and put it on the stove in the corner. He rushed right on through to Kennedy who was in the other room. 'Red' had his hat on and was getting his coat on.

Blew Out The Lamp

Charley ran in and grabbed him. The lamp was burning big but he blew out the light. I heard a tussle and ran to the end of the boat. They were struggling about the floor and 'Red' said, 'Ah, no you won't, then I heard a gun fire. I didn't know who had the gun. Then as I started into separate them I heard Charlie scream: 'Oh, Lordy, I'm shot!' and I ran from the boat to get a doctor. I ran screaming up the river bank and some men living in a shanty met me and asked what was wrong. I ran to Dr. Hutchens' office and he was not in. I then tried Dr. Stewart but he had gone to bed and was not feeling well. Dr. Hill was also out and finally I got Dr. York. When I came back I found my husband on a porch of a house on the river bank. I went back to the boat to look it. Some men on the way told me that as I ran from the boat that they had seen a man get in our boat and cross the river. I looked for the boat and it was gone. I looked for it again this morning and it is not on the Kentucky side. I sat in the back seat of Dr. York's automobile holding my husband all the way to the hospital. He said his temper had gotten him into trouble again.

"We Had Been Quarreling" "We had been quarreling for several weeks. It began when I refused to go down the river with him. None of our quarrels were about Kennedy. Charlie himself kept telling him he was welcome to board with us when he talked of leaving. Charlie was just quarrelsome and would chew about first one thing and another. He would lay off from work sometimes just to be around and fussing. He and 'Red' laid off for several days to go fishing. Yesterday evening Kennedy was sitting on the end of the boat with him after he came and 'Red' told him two or three times that he would go up to the old night watchman's home and board and Charlie said, 'No, you'll not.'"

Mrs. Hill denied reports that there had been a racket on the boat the night before and that "when her husband said he himself or Kennedy would have to go that she spoke up and told her husband he would be the one to go and Kennedy would stay."

The woman could account for the shooting only by saying her husband allowed his temper to get the better of him and that Kennedy may have been drinking during the day and did not realize what he was doing when he found himself suddenly attacked.

Wife Denies Many Rumors The woman also denied reports that she and Kennedy had occupied the boat together during the time her husband was in the Cincinnati workhouse last year. She said she herself was employed at the time on the towboat Brown Hill and that they had engaged Kennedy to take care of the boat during their absence.

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Mayor E. E. Haeguard was the first person to reach the boat after the shooting. He said as soon as he heard the shots he listened and could hear no boat crossing the river. He was unable to locate any officers immediately so arming himself repaired to the boat. He said the bedroom was in total disorder with blood all over the bed and clothes. He found a thin night gown on the bed that was also saturated with blood. There was a box of cartridges on a stand. There were a dozen in the box and one cartridge lay in the center of the stand. He said he traced the blood from a rug on the floor to the front door. He asked Mrs. Hill who had been on the boat besides her and husband and she said "Red" Kennedy. She said she did not know how the shooting happened as the two men were in the room to themselves.

Laid In Wait For Gun User

Marshal Dave Evans and Deputy Sheriff Jake Baer guarded the boat for some hours after the shooting under the belief that Kennedy might try to slip back after his belongings. Once it was reported he had been seen running through some bottoms but the report proved false. Added excitement was created at one o'clock Thursday morning by the successive firing of five pistol shots in the vicinity of the Hill boat. Investigation proved that it was Charles Simms, a paymaster at the Whitaker-Glossner Company's plant, who had joined the searching party, simply having emptied the chamber of his gun rather than envy it back home loaded.

The mayor said that in consequence of this latest shooting, which from reports had been predicted he would again order all shantiboats removed from along Sciotoville's river front.

Accuses Wife In Statement

Just as he was placed on the operating table Hill was told by Dr. York that he would probably not come out from under the anesthetic and that he had better make an ante-mortem statement. Hill did not betray any emotion when told he was likely to die and talked clearly about the shooting. Dr. York said he blamed his wife for all of the trouble, saying that she and Kennedy had been intimate for some time. He said on Wednesday night he was out on the river shore and when he went to the boat he found Kennedy and his wife together in the bedroom. Asked if they were sitting on the bed Hill made no answer. When told to continue his statement he said that as he stepped into the room Kennedy raised up and without saying a word shot him in the abdomen and as he fell shot him again through the face.

The first bullet passed through the intestines and could not be located. The second bullet entered the right cheek ranged over the upper jaw down through the neck to underneath the lower left jaw and lodged against the skin.

Is Native of Lawrence Co.

The wounded man is a native of Lawrence county, having been born and reared at one of the farmers back of fronton, the son of Charles Hill, at present a garbage dump keeper in Cincinnati. He was married in August, 1913, to Aureka May Price, the divorced wife of James Crawford of Cincinnati and a daughter of Smith Price, a noted counterfeiter, at present serving sentence in the Ohio penitentiary. She has a daughter, Minnie Crawford, aged 20, by her first marriage. Before going to Sciotoville two years ago the couple lived at No. 1545 Eleventh street, this city.

Hill worked for the Dravo Construction Co. hauling sand and gravel for the bridge pier work, and until recently worked as a boiler fireman for Laughorn & Sneed, contractors. For the past few weeks he had been working as a riveter on the new bridge. He has a half brother, Fred, and half sister, Elsie, whose present whereabouts are unknown to his wife.

Fired At Crowd Of Boy Swimmers Hill gained considerable notoriety last year when in a fit of anger he fired a volley from his shot gun into a crowd of boys who were swimming near his boat. They were nude and he had asked them to move on. When they refused he ran into the boat and seized his shot gun. The wife grabbed hold of it, trying to wrest it from him but he threw her clear across the room, according to her story. Herman Kinker was shot in the arm and another boy was slightly wounded on the hand. For this act Judge Thomas fined Hill \$25 and costs and sentenced him to 30 days in the workhouse. Hill denied the shooting and because his wife refused to testify in his behalf they fell out. She brought suit for divorce alleging mistreatment but he pleaded so hard that she finally withdrew it. They had separated in August and went to living together in April of this year.

Kennedy is a steamboat fireman by trade, and comes from Proctorsville, Lawrence county, according to Mrs. Hill and persons about Sciotoville.

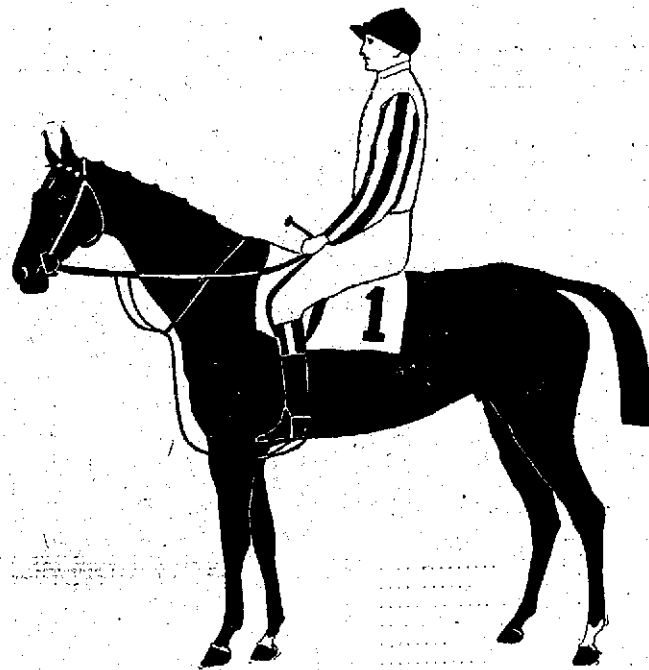
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NEW BOSTON

Elza Briggs, steel worker, who left the village several weeks ago when the marshal was called to his home to quiet a family disturbance, has written to know if he will be arrested if he returns. He is working in Ashland. Mayor Davis has replied that he can return if he will swear off drinking and promise to behave himself.

Contractors are making ready to pour cement for the second floor of the steel plant office building on Vine street and Rhodes avenue.

Orin Smedley, of Stewartville, who has been working for the village, is suffering with several mashed fingers on his left hand.

Members of the Ladies' Aid society of the Baptist church met Thursday in the church basement.

The laying of brick on West avenue was completed Thursday. The concrete mixer is ready to start pouring base on Grace street. Concrete base on the north side of Gallia street was completed Wednesday.

Mrs. Mayme McGee, of 204 Ohio avenue, is confined to her home with a slight illness.

William Carter is having the front of his grocery and bakery painted red.

After many requests had been made to Mayor J. S. Davis, who in turn called on the street railway officials, two additional street car stops have been made on Rhodes avenue, Ohio avenue and Vine street and Center street. Half-way stops are these streets.

J. C. Harris has completed repairs to the Davis theatre building, which was lengthened. The screen has been moved back and additional seats have been installed.

All members of the W. O. W. lodge who attend the weekly session tonight are promised a surprise. The social committee say they have something that will be pleasing to every member.

Three children in the William Payton family, on East Rhodes avenue have about recovered from

brother of Mr. Hurley. Mrs. Dudley Carpenter, of 3855 Stanton avenue, is ill. John Hoover, steel worker, who had two fingers mashed at the steel plant several weeks ago, when a bolt fell on the digits, will be able to resume work next week. One joint was taken off the second finger on his left hand.

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BRINGING UP FATHER



EXPERT RIDER FALLS FROM HORSE

Dr. F. P. Pieper, veterinary surgeon, while horseback riding in Kinney's Lane, met with an accident last evening. The animal missed his footing and fell, the doctor getting caught underneath and dislocating an ankle. He is now laid up at his room on Washington street.

Taking In Big Trip

Grocer and Mrs. Alva Cheshot and son Howard have gone on a vacation trip to New York and Atlantic City on the Money Penny-Hammond Company's special.

More "Souvenirs". See Page 11.

COLONEL ROOSEVELT DINES WITH HUGHES, TAFT FORGETS PAST

New York, June 29.—Charles E. Hughes, Republican presidential nominee, announced last night at the end of an interview with Theo. Roosevelt, which lasted for more than two hours and a half, that he and the former were in "complete accord."

Mr. Hughes issued the following statement: "I am very much pleased with Colonel Roosevelt's letter of endorsement, and he has expressed himself in a very kind way with respect to my telegram to the Progressive committee. I wanted to talk with Colonel Roosevelt fully with respect to the issues of the campaign and asked him to dine with me so that we might have that opportunity. He dined with me tonight and we had a very delightful interview. We talked very fully over all matters and are in complete accord. The evening was a pleasant one."

It is understood that Colonel Roosevelt told Mr. Hughes he would co-operate heartily with him in any of his plans, even to the extent of making a speaking tour if Mr. Hughes so desired.

Invited By Hughes. Colonel Roosevelt called upon Mr. Hughes at the nominee's invitation and they remained together for more than two and a half hours.

The Republican nominee and Colonel Roosevelt dined alone. The waiter who served them was hurried from the room except when especially summoned by a call button.

After the interview Mr. Hughes escorted the former president to his automobile and warmly shaking his hand as he bade him goodbye. When the auto moved away Colonel Roosevelt looked around and waving his hand to Mr. Hughes, said "good bye" and the best possible good luck."

Colonel Roosevelt, when seen later before his departure for his home at Oyster Bay said that he

and Mr. Hughes had had a most satisfactory talk and that he was greatly pleased. The former president made it plain that he agrees with the attitude of Mr. Hughes toward the questions at issue in the campaign, and he assured the nominee that he would support him with the utmost heartiness.

Mr. Hughes said last night that he was willing to work side-by-side with Colonel Roosevelt to aid in the election of Mr. Hughes. Asked if he would be willing to speak from the same platform as Colonel Roosevelt, he said:

"I am for Hughes. I have not let my personal feelings interfere. If such speaking arrangements were made I should act as a private in the ranks and obey orders."

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Floral Parade

A magnificent floral parade will be held in Jackson, O., Thursday, July 6th, in connection with the Home Coming festivities next week. All sorts of floats will be in the parade, and it is expected to be the feature of the Home Coming. A number of cash prizes will be given for the best decorated automobile, wagon and business or manufacturer's float.

Get License In Vanceburg

According to the Vanceburg, Ky., Sun, a marriage license was issued this week to Joseph F. Manier, aged 30, and Abigail Stone, aged 15, of Record, Ky.

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You should use a more natural, easy, pleasant way of correcting the trouble. Give your liver a Tollo Water liver bath. This famous water is found at Dawson Springs, the Kentucky health resort. Its effect is to dissolve the obstructions in the bile tubes and cleanse, purify and re-energize the liver. You can prove its benefits for yourself—and do so in 30 minutes, for, although its action is pleasant and natural, it is also quick.

Get a 15-cent bottle of Tollo Water at your druggists. Before breakfast, take a little in a glass of drinking water. You can eat what you like without fear of indigestion—headache and constipation will be relieved—the sour waste will be expelled from the system in half an hour. Do this occasionally and you will find your whole health improved.

Rev. Wood Is Visiting Here

Rev. Charles Wood, who recently graduated from his theological college in Middletown, Conn., arrived home Thursday and is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wood, of Bertha, on the West Side.

TO HELP ALONG 9 FOOT STAGE

At the last meeting of the Ohio Valley Improvement Association various cities along the Ohio river pledged themselves to give so much towards the campaign being so insistently waged for a nine foot stage in the Ohio river. Portsmouth pledged \$300 for 1915 and \$300 for 1916 and a committee will start out in a few days to raise this sum.

More "Souvenirs". See Page 11.

Suit On A Note

Joseph G. Steagall filed suit in the court of common pleas Thursday against John G. Egbert, asking judgment for \$294.49 with accrued interest from March 9, 1915, alleged due on a promissory note. Holcomb and Holcomb represent the plaintiff.

Just received Deep Sea Turtle weighing 320 lbs. which will be served in steaks and soup at Finde's Cafe and Restaurant, 817 Gallia Street. A La Carte service at all hours. 29-2t

Real "Onyx" Silk Hose, \$1.00 quality 69c. At the Atlas. See ad. Page 11.

EIGHTH REGIMENT OF THE OHIO GUARD GOES INTO CAMP

Columbus, O., June 29.—Ohio's largest national guard regiment, the Eighth, marched into Camp Willis today. It was the first to enter the mobilization camp following the orders issued by President Wilson over a week ago.

During the next few days the guard will be gathered rapidly in the new camp. Entraining orders for the Sixth regiment, of Toledo, the Fourth, of Columbus; the Fifth, of Cleveland; the Second, of Ada; and the Third, of Dayton, are expected in quick succession.

The infantrymen of the Eighth arrived today from various points. Its twelve companies are located as follows:

Company A, Bucyrus; B and F, Akron; C, Canton; D, Wooster; E, Ashland; G, Wadsworth; H, Shreve; I, Tiffin; K, Alliance; L, Galena; M, Mansfield.

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GERMANS FAIL TO ADVANCE

Paris, June 29.—After a violent bombardment which lasted the entire day, the Germans attacked French positions northwest of Thiaumont in the Verdun sector but were repulsed with heavy loss, according to an official statement issued by the war office today. The French machine guns' curtain fire is declared to have devastated the attackers.

BAD TO HAVE A COLD HANG ON

Don't let your cold hang on, rack your system and become chronic when Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey will help you. It heals the inflammation, soothes the cough and loosens the phlegm. You breathe easier at once. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is a laxative Tar Syrup, the pine tar balsam heals the raw spots, loosens the mucous and prevents irritation of the bronchial tubes. Just get a bottle of Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey today, its guaranteed to help you. At druggists.

HAMMOND IS BETTER

Edward Hammond, a resident of Firebrick, Ky., who was assaulted last Saturday night when he was hit over the head with a chair and his skull was fractured, was reported better at the hospital Thursday.

Kabo Corsets, Spring styles, \$1.00 and \$1.50 values, 79c. At the Atlas. See ad. Page 11.

BUSCH WILL ARRIVE FROM CITY OF BERLIN

Chicago, June 29.—The will of the late Mrs. Anna Anheuser Busch, disposing of a \$1,000,000 estate today is in the archives of the Cook county probate court, after a trip from Berlin negotiated through the state department at Washington. The document arrived yesterday.

Mrs. Busch, who died in California, on April 8, was the daughter of the founder of the Anheuser Busch Brewery Company, the widow of Ulrich Busch and the sister-in-law of the late Adolphus Busch, of St. Louis, Mo.

The property is bequeathed to the children and grand-children of the deceased.

More "Souvenirs". See Page 11.

MR. CORSON TO OPEN REAL ESTATE OFFICE

Mr. F. B. M. Corson has decided to engage in the real estate and rental business, and is now engaged in looking for suitable offices.

It is his intention to not only deal in real estate but to specialize in caring for and renting property, and in collecting rents for owners. He will give proper-

Committee Meets Tonight

A committee from the Business Men's Association, composed of Otto Zoellner, Raymond York, Adam Erick and Alan N. Jordan, named recently to arrange to have members of this organization and of the Board of Trade to attend a County Grange meeting to be held near Wheelersburg in August, will meet tonight at 7:30, in the headquarters of the Business Men's Association.

An effort will be made to have more than 200 members attend the Grange and show its promoters that the business men of the River City are interested in granges and the good they do to promote a friendly feeling between the tillers of the soil and the business men.

Late Thursday Mr. Corson concluded arrangements by which he secured a lease on Room 225 in the Masonic Temple, which had for a number of years been occupied by the C. S. Cadot Rental Agency. Mr. Corson will take possession of the room at once.

Third Straight Taken From Maysville By Champs, 3 To 1

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(BY LOUIS SCHATZMAN)

Maysville, Kentucky, June 29.

WO hits were all that the locals could secure off Sabaskus' delivery and they went down in defeat to the Cobblers by a score of 3 to 1. It was a good game of ball and was enjoyed by the small crowd of fans present. McGraynor pitched for the locals and ten hits were secured off his delivery and he was not given the best of support by his team mates. Slow fielding was responsible for at least one of the runs. Sabaskus was wild and walked several, but he tightened up in the pinches and "Our Boys" could not deliver the much needed hits. The feature of the game was the fielding of McHenry for the visitors.

No runs were scored until the fifth when the Burleys put over one. Wickham popped to Spencer, McGraynor walked, Timin fied out to Bush; Hoffman safe on Bush's error, Kaiser singled and McGraynor scored. Williams fied out.

The Cobblers tied it up in the seventh. Singleton beat out one. Demoe sacrificed, Fisher out, McGraynor to Coyle; Sabaskus singled scoring Singleton, Bush out, Wickham to Coyle.

In the eighth the visitors put over another. With one down Dills safe on Wickham's error, Singleton hit one to Williams scoring Dills. Demoe fied out, Fisher fouled out.

And in the ninth the Cobblers put over one more. Sabaskus doubled, Bush out, Williams to Coyle, Bauer walked, Dills forced Bauer at second and Sabaskus scored. McHenry singled, Spencer fied out. The score:

PORTSMOUTH	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Bush, 2b	5	0	0	4	4	1
Bauer, 3b	4	0	1	3	1	0
Dills, rf	3	1	1	0	0	0
McHenry, lf	5	0	3	6	0	0
Spencer, 1b	5	0	1	13	0	0
Singleton, c	2	1	2	0	0	0
Demoe, ss	3	0	0	2	0	0
Fisher, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Sabaskus, p	4	1	2	0	3	0
Totals	35	3	10	27	13	1

MAYSVILLE	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Timin, lf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Hoffman, 2b	3	0	0	2	3	0
Kaiser, cf	4	0	1	2	1	0
Williams, ss	3	0	0	1	3	0
Jones, rf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Kohlbecker, c	3	0	0	1	1	0
Coyle, 1b	4	0	0	12	0	0
Wickham, 3b	4	0	0	4	5	0
McGraynor, p	2	1	1	2	0	0
Totals	27	1	2	27	15	0

Two Base Hits—Sabaskus.
Sacrifice Hits—Demoe, Timin, Hoffman, Jones.
Stolen Bases—McHenry.
Bases on Balls—Sabaskus 6; McGraynor 5.
Left on Bases—Portsmouth 11; Maysville 8.
Double Play—Wickham to Coyle.
Time—1:45.
Umpire—Jacobs.

BAD YEAR FOR SCHNEIDER

Here are the pitching records of the hurling staff of the Cincinnati Reds:

W	L	SO	IP	Ave.
Massey	3	1	48	21.750
Mitchell	6	3	78	21.567
Dale	3	2	67	25.000
Toney	7	6	92	28.558
Schulz	4	7	90	33.333
Schneider	4	10	111	29.286
Kneizer	0	2	30	8.000

Moon Is Leader

Here are the records of the pitchers in the Boy Scout league:

W	L	SO	IP	Pct.
Moon, Ath.	8	0	73	1.000
Bellamy	1	0	42	5.000
Wallace	1	0	14	1.000
Scott	0	1	23	.000
Moore	3	1	65	.428
Jeffords	3	5	67	.375
Edmister	2	2	49	.285
Fortner	1	2	28	.275
Moak	1	1	22	.350
Lewis	0	4	12	.000
K. Taylor	0	0	8	.000
J. Taylor	0	1	2	.000
Hudson	0	1	11	.000
Slatery	1	0	4	1.000



GEORGE FOSTER

Tomlinits is evidently good for Geo. Foster, the twirler for the Boston Red Sox. George had not shown much form this season and was out of the game with a bad attack of throat trouble and was just convalescing when he stepped on the mound and pitched a shut-out game against the New York Yankees the other day.

SHARMAN HAS BIG WEEK

Ralph Sharmen is certainly carrying the game for the Galveston team. He has won his spurs in this league through his consistent hitting.

Last week in 7 games Sharmen made 26 trips to the plate and made 12 hits, giving him the respectable batting average of .362.

TO FIGHT FOR BIG PURSE

New York, June 29.—With the advantages of weight, height and reach against him, but with the betting slightly favoring him, Jack Dillon, of Indianapolis, is to fight Frank Moran of Pittsburgh, in a ten round bout in Washington Park, in Brooklyn tonight. The purse amounts to \$40,000 of which Moran will receive \$25,000 and Dillon \$15,000.

All Portsmouth Series, Eh Fans

How would you "All Portsmouth Series" suit you fans?
Well one no doubt could be easily arranged at the close of the Ohio State and Virginia league seasons.

Emery Made Manager

Shortstop Emery, who was with the local club and played swell ball in 1914, has just been made manager of the Petersburg, Va., team in the Virginia league. Emery came to the Champs from Maysville. His home is in New York city.

GOOD YEAR FOR PORTSMOUTH TEAMS

The first half of the Virginia League season closes July 1. Portsmouth looks like a sure winner and the main effort of the other clubs now is to prepare for the race in the second half. Rocky Mount particularly is making a number of changes.

Reds Are Beaten

The St. Louis Cardinals again defeated the Reds Wednesday, the score being 9 to 6. Emmer ran for Chase in the eighth inning and scored a run. The score:

ST. LOUIS	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Belzer, 2b	5	2	2	4	3	0
Becher, lf	4	2	2	1	0	0
Smith, cf	2	0	0	1	0	0
Long, rf	1	1	0	0	0	0
Miller, 1b	5	2	5	4	2	1
Hornsbey, 3b	3	1	1	0	0	0
Wilson, cf	3	1	2	1	2	0
Snyder, c	4	1	2	1	2	0
Corbin, ss	4	0	2	7	0	0
Ames, p	3	0	1	0	0	0
Meadows, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
xGonzales	1	0	0	0	1	0
Hall, p	0	0	0	0	1	0
Totals	32	9	14	27	16	1

CINCINNATI	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Groh, 3b	4	0	0	2	1	0
Hertzog, ss	4	2	3	8	1	0
Nene, lf	4	0	1	0	1	0
Killefer, cf	4	0	1	3	0	0
Griffith, rf	3	0	1	0	0	0
Wingo, c	3	1	1	3	2	0
Mullins, 1b	4	0	1	8	1	0
Louden, 2b	2	0	0	2	0	0
Fisher, 2b	2	1	1	0	0	0
Toney, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
xMitchell	1	0	0	0	0	0
Dale, p	0	0	0	1	0	0
xxClarke	1	0	0	0	0	0
Kneizer, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
xxEmmer	0	1	0	0	0	0
Schulz, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	33	3	6	10	27	13

xxMitchell batted for Toney.
xxClarke batted for Dale.
Fisher batted for Louden.
xChase batted for Kneizer.
xxEmmer ran for Chase.
St. Louis 4 1 0 0 2 0 0 1 4-6 10 1
Cincinnati 1 0 0 0 0 1 1 0-6 10 1

HENDERSON IN ANOTHER VICTORY

Charleston, W. Va., June 29.—The locals defeated Huntington here Wednesday in a good game when Henderson outpitched Lawrence. The score:

HUNTINGTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Schmeier, rf	4	0	0	1	0	0
Olson, 2b	5	1	1	2	1	0
Fisher, cf	5	1	2	1	0	0
Bisler, ss	3	0	0	1	1	0
Crum, 1b	4	0	1	7	2	0
Gibson, lf	4	0	1	7	2	0
Stewart, rf	3	1	1	1	0	0
Batterby, 3b	4	1	1	4	0	0
Lawrence, p	4	1	1	0	2	0
Totals	36	5	8	24	10	0

CHARLESTON	AB	R	H	PO	A	E
Dasella, cf	4	2	1	3	0	0
Callahan, 2b	4	2	1	7	0	0
Powell, ss	4	3	2	3	0	0
Calbert, lf	4	1	2	2	0	0
Gottfrieder, rf	4	0	1	3	1	0
Garris, 3b	4	0	0	3	1	0
Barrett, 2b	4	1	1	0	2	1
McDaniels, c	3	0	1	2	1	0
Henderson, p	4	1	0	1	1	1
Totals	33	6	11	27	8	1

Huntington 1 3 0 0 0 1 0 0-3
Charleston 1 1 1 0 2 0 0 8-6

Ping Bodie First Player

Ping Bodie of the Frisco team is the first ball player in all the world to make 100 hits this season. Ping made his century mark on June 16 in a game against Los Angeles and it helped win the game for his team.

Light Week With Stick

"Frisch" Conwell did not hit very many balls for Week last week. He made 22 trips to the plate in 7 games and garnered 6 hits, his average for the week being .222. Conwell is now in his old position, third base, for Waco.

HALCHASE AND GROH IN .300 CLASS

Have you been wondering how the Reds are hitting? Well, here are the averages, so peruse them carefully:

AB	R	H	PO	A	E	
Emmer	1	2	1	0	0	1.000
Kneizer	7	0	3	0	1	.429
Hahn	3	0	1	0	0	.333
Fisher	22	3	7	1	1	.318
Chase	225	25	67	10	4	.311
Groh	225	42	68	10	3	.302
Clarke	88	10	26	7	1	.295
Nene	150	22	35	5	4	.280
Killefer	105	21	33	5	1	.260
Wingo	155	12	40	3	5	.250
Moltwitz	127	8	30	2	2	.233
Griffith	238	22	55	11	0	.231
Hertzog	218	22	55	0	2	.252
Louden	208	20	45	9	1	.216
Mitchell	42	7	9	0	0	.214
Mooney	45	3	3	0	0	.200
Toney	45	3	7	1	1	.156
Schulz	32	2	4	0	0	.125
Dale	20	0	2	0	1	.105
Schneider	32	3	3	0	0	.094

Dan Cupid Tags Honus

Dan Cupid, has struck out Honus Wagner. The Flying Dutchman is soon to be married to Miss Annie Smith of Pittsburgh. Honus making love to his fiancée would have been no doubt a swell subject for the movies.

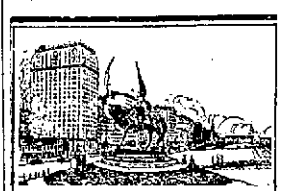
Splendid Record

The Champs have won 12 out of their last 14 games, which is stopping some, any fan will readily admit. The team has just won three straight from Maysville with one more to play there before going to Frankfort. White has been wound up in Lexington.

Should Be Great Fight

One of the best fights of the year will no doubt be staged in Akron on Fourth of July when Johnny Griffiths of Akron and Charley White of Chicago step into the same ring. White has been guaranteed \$3,000.

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OHIO STATE LEAGUE STANDING OF CLUBS

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Portsmouth	29	11	.720
Lexington	34	10	.773
Charleston	24	28	.462
Huntington	21	30	.412
Frankfort	19	31	.380
Maysville	18	30	.375

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS
Charleston 6, Huntington 5.
Portsmouth 3, Maysville 1.
Frankfort 3, Lexington 7.

GAMES TODAY
Huntington at Charleston.
Portsmouth at Maysville.
Frankfort at Lexington.

NATIONAL LEAGUE STANDING OF CLUBS

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
Brooklyn	35	22	.614
Philadelphia	31	27	.534
Boston	29	26	.527
New York	29	27	.518
Chicago	29	23	.558
Pittsburgh	27	31	.465
Cincinnati	26	34	.435
St. Louis	25	36	.408

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS
Chicago 2-2, Pittsburgh 3-3; 2nd game 13 innings.
Cincinnati 6, St. Louis 9.
Boston 2, Brooklyn 3.
New York 4, Philadelphia 3.

GAMES TODAY
Brooklyn at Boston.
Philadelphia at New York.
Chicago at St. Louis.
Others not scheduled.

AMERICAN LEAGUE STANDING OF CLUBS

Club	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	35	26	.574
Cleveland	35	27	.563
Boston	33	29	.532
Washington	33	29	.532
Detroit	34	30	.531
Chicago	31	29	.517
St. Louis	28	35	.444
Philadelphia	17	41	.293

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS
Cleveland 1, Chicago 5.
Philadelphia 7, New York 9.
Washington 6, Boston 2.
St. Louis 6, Detroit 3.

GAMES TODAY
St. Louis at Cleveland.
Detroit at Chicago.
New York at Philadelphia.
Boston at Washington.

Southworth Batted .269

Billy Southworth, who is with Portland in the Pacific Coast League, last week secured 4 blows out of 15 cracks at the bat and his average was .269. Portland is in fourth place.

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At The Exhibit

"The Jungle Outcasts" is a two-reel Centaur drama. Margaret Gibson, Wm. Clifford and others appear in this adventure story. The burning of the vessel at sea and casting off of the wife and child on a raft is realistically handled. Later they land on a desert island and the natives worship the mother as a White Spirit. The husband heads a rescue party and saves the mother and child from being devoured by wild animals. The Boston animals make a good showing in this.

"The Sailor's Smiling Spirit" is a Reliance comedy. Riley Chamberlain and Fatty Hiers appear in this amusing comedy. The former is a grocer, who covets the latter's wife. He places bombs in the sailor's vessel, but the latter turns up unexpectedly after his supposed death. "A Mixup in Photos" is a Vogue comedy.

At The Arcana

"The Marriage of Arthur" is a two-part Laemmle comedy drama introducing Rupert Julian in an interesting character creation. He appears as a conceited dandy who marries a country girl in order to inherit money. He neglects her because he says she is a dowdy and she retaliates by dressing in fine apparel and going to a cabaret with another. The character presented by Mr. Julian is an entertaining one, and the plot of the story is mildly interesting.

"Mr. Buddy Briggs, Burglar," is an L. K. O. comedy number of a burlesque sort, featuring Dave Morris, Gertrude Selby, Reggie Morris and others. The flirtatious husband is entertaining friends when his wife returns and he pretends one of them is a burglar.

"Sealing the Jungfrau" is a Rex drama of tense interest.

At The Forrest

Another good program at the Second street theatre tonight. Messrs. Farmer and Holman are trying to book the best they can for their patrons. Always a good program and good music at the Forrest theatre. Tonight's feature is a two reel drama, one of those exciting westerners of gripping interest. See the cowboys and the crook in their running fight. A picture with a thrill in every foot. Two comedies complete a dandy bill for a Thursday night. Come to the Forrest Theatre where it is cool.

At The Strand

"The Path to Happiness," 5 part Red Feather drama, is the first offering of this new brand which features Violet Mercereau as a girl of the woods, a part which fits her like a glove and to which she brings much freshness and charm. The development of the story is excellent throughout. Harry Benham and Sidney Bracey play the city man and the hunchback. The story has many excellent touches and the production as a whole unusually good. The photography and scenic effects are very good.

At The Temple

Today is "Baby Show" day at the Temple theatre. Tonight will be shown over 100 more of the beautiful babies in the East End. Come out to see them. Pick out the one you like best. These pictures will be entirely different from the ones shown recently. A real baby show right on the screen. "Seeds of Suspicion" is the title of Chapter II of "The Red Circle".

June Travis comes again under the influence of the Red Circle when a desire to aid Gordon, the accused lawyer, against his persecutors overwhelms her, and she succeeds in accomplishing his escape from Lamar's office, and later obtains the document upon which the charge against him is based.

Two reels of "Neal of the Navy" and a good comedy complete the bill.

Real "Onyx" Silk Hose, \$1.00 quality 69c. At the Atlas. See ad. Page 11.

Gives Up Biggs House

Mrs. V. A. Porter gave up the management of the Biggs house Wednesday and prepared to move back to Corning, Ohio. Mrs. Clay Wade, owner of the property, will resume charge of the hotel. Mrs. Porter's son, Leonard Porter, has also sold his restaurant on the Market street side of the hotel to James Horton, a meat dealer, who has engaged Art Nudley to manage the business for him.

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Federal Inquiry or Railroad Strike?

Faced by demands from the conductors, engineers, firemen and brakemen that would impose on the country an additional burden in transportation costs of \$100,000,000 a year, the railroads propose that this wage problem be settled by reference to an impartial Federal tribunal.

With these employees, whose efficient service is acknowledged, the railroads have no differences that could not be considered fairly and decided justly by such a public body.

Railroads Urge Public Inquiry and Arbitration

The formal proposal of the railroads to the employees for the settlement of the controversy is as follows:

"Our conferences have demonstrated that we cannot harmonize our differences of opinion, and that eventually the matters in controversy must be passed upon by other and disinterested agencies. Therefore, we propose that your proposals and the proposition of the railroads be disposed of by one or the other of the following methods:

1. Preferably by submission to the Interstate Commerce Commission, the only tribunal which, by reason of its accumulated information bearing on railway conditions and its control of the revenue of the railways, is in a position to consider and protect the rights and equities of all the interests affected, and to provide additional revenue necessary to meet the added cost of operation in case your proposals are found by the Commission to be just and reasonable; or, in the event the Interstate Commerce Commission cannot, under existing laws, act in the premises, that we jointly request Congress to take such action as may be necessary to enable the Commission to consider and promptly dispose of the questions involved; or
2. By arbitration in accordance with the provisions of the Federal law" (The Newlands Act).

Leaders Refuse Offer and Take Strike Vote

Leaders of the train service brotherhoods, at the joint conference held in New York, June 1-15, refused the offer of the railroads to submit the issue to arbitration or Federal review, and the employees are now voting on the question whether authority shall be given these leaders to declare a nation-wide strike.

The Interstate Commerce Commission is proposed by the railroads as the public body to which this issue ought to be referred for these reasons:

No other body with such an intimate knowledge of railroad conditions has such an unquestioned position in the public confidence.

The rates the railroads may charge the public for transportation are now largely fixed by this Government board.

Out of every dollar received by the railroads from the public nearly one-half is paid

directly to the employees as wages; and the money to pay increased wages can come from no other source than the rates paid by the public.

The Interstate Commerce Commission, with its control over rates, is in a position to make a complete investigation and render such decision as would protect the interests of the railroad employees, the owners of the railroads, and the public.

A Question For the Public to Decide

The railroads feel that they have no right to grant a wage preferment of \$100,000,000 a year to these employees, now highly paid and constituting only one-fifth of all the employees, without a clear mandate from a public tribunal that shall determine the merits of the case after a review of all the facts.

The single issue before the country is whether this controversy is to be settled by an impartial Government inquiry or by industrial warfare.

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RIVER NEWS

Portsmouth, June 29
Observations taken at 8 a. m. 75th
Meridian Time

Wind	Force	Height of Water	Direction of Current	Direction of Wind
Franklin	15	2.1 F	-0.2	
Greensboro	18	8.0 F	-0.5	
Pittsburgh	22	3.3 F	-1.3	
Dam No. 12	36	7.5 F	-1.6	
Zanesville	25	9.2 F	-0.5	
Parkersburg	36	10.4 F	-1.2	
Charleston	30	7.3 F	-0.2	
Pt. Pleasant	40	11.7 F	-1.1	
Huntington	50	14.4 F	-1.6	
Catlettsburg	50	16.2 F	-2.4	
Portsmouth	50	16.2 F	-2.4	
Cincinnati	50	20.8 F	-0.4	

FORECAST
Dam No. 13, Kanawha, closing.
Fair over upper Ohio valley to-
night and Friday. River at Ports-
mouth will fall.

F. B. WINTER,
River Observer.

The Ohio river was 18.4 ft. and
falling here Thursday morning.
Friday's pocket departures: Green-
wood down for Cincinnati at 8 a. m.;
Mildred Runyon for Rome at 2 p. m.;
Greenland up for Charleston at 2 p. m.;
Greyhound for Huntington at 3 p. m.

Returns To Cincinnati

Mrs. Albert Schuyler and chil-
dren who have been visiting at
the home of her parents, Mr. and
Mrs. Andrew Reinhard, of Eighth
street, returned to their home at
Cincinnati this afternoon.

Vitalite used on all enamel
work by Bremer, the Painter, 1-11

Forced To Undergo Second Operation

Friends of Will Scholl, steel plant
machinist, of Seventh and Findlay
streets, will be sorry to learn the
young man had to undergo another
operation Thursday morning. Drs.
O. R. Micklethwait and G. W.
Chabot being the attending physi-
cians.

Over three weeks ago Scholl had

ligaments of his foot torn loose and
a small bone near a toe broken when
a tight shoe was tried on. An
abscess and blood-poison developed
and the foot was operated upon. He
has been getting along nicely for
about ten days, but Wednesday eve-
ning took a change for the worse and
it was decided to operate a second
time.

Going To New York

Charles Howland, of the Ports-
mouth Hat Company, expects to go
to New York on a business trip
next week. He will be accompa-
nied by one of the firm's travel-
ing men, J. B. Lykins, who was
granted the trip as a prize for
having the largest sales the past
year. They will return via Ni-
agara Falls.

More "Souvenirs". See Page
11.

Married By Squire

Harry C. Buchanan, of Day-
ton, and Miss Stella S. Spriggs,
of Lucasville, were married by
Squire A. J. Finney Wednesday
afternoon. They will reside in
Dayton.

More "Souvenirs". See Page
11.

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More "Souvenirs" See Page 11

Dr. W. J. Keyes Elected Captain Of Company K Wednesday Night

At a meeting of Company K, held in Kendall Hall Wednesday evening, Dr. W. J. Keyes, with offices in the First National Bank building, was elected captain of the company, succeeding Lieutenant Joe Horchow, who some time ago was elected captain, but declined to serve.

Dr. Keyes is one of the city's best known citizens, and under his able leadership, Company K will no doubt take on a new lease on life. He has been a resident of Portsmouth eleven years, and is just the sort of man under whom soldier boys can work with confidence and enthusiasm. As soon as Captain Keyes undergoes a physical examination, and receives his commission, he will take charge of Company K, which under his leadership is to be recruited to war strength and

kept at the highest possible rate of efficiency.

Relative to Lieutenant Horchow's refusal to accept the captaincy and his willingness to step aside for a more experienced man, he issued the following statement Thursday morning:

"Believing it to be for the best interests of Company K, I declined the captaincy of Company K. A man more mature in years would have a decided influence with the personnel of the organization, which a younger man could not have."

"It is practically an established fact, that an organization of this character will fare better under the leadership of a man who has had many years experience in the management of men."

"I therefore declined this election and heartily recommended

the captain, Dr. W. J. Keyes. I would ask that every member of the company, every citizen and friend of the organization give him the whole-hearted support that they have so kindly tendered me."

"JOE HORCHOW."

For some time a joint committee from the Board of Trade, Employers' Association and the Business Men's Association have been rendering valuable assistance to Company K in its hunt for a new captain. They are eminently pleased with the election of Captain Keyes and every member of the committee feel confident that the local militia company under Captain Keyes will develop into one of the best in the state.

Lieutenant Joe Horchow will retain this office, and Howard Harsha continues as second lieutenant.

FIVE DOLLARS IN GOLD FOR BEST K. K. SLOGAN

Do you want to win five dollars in gold? All you have to do to win that amount of mazzuma is to write five words, which, when properly connected, will make the best slogan for Portsmouth, said slogan to be used not only during the advertising days of the Korn Carnival, but which can be adopted by the Business Men's association, and which will be used on all stationary which has for its purpose the boosting of the Peerless City.

Get busy and write a slogan. It must not contain over five words—the shorter the better. Write the slogan, mail it to Ralph Thomas, secretary of the Business Men's association, Masonic Temple. The slogans must be in the hands of Secretary Thomas by next Wednesday, July 5. At a meeting of the Korn Carnival advertising committee to be held on Thursday morning, July 6, at 8 o'clock, it will be decided which slogan is the best and the winner will receive five dollars in gold. Of course the committee will award no prize unless the slogan has sufficient "punch" to warrant its adoption.

time. He remained very ill for the remainder of the night, but was able to be up and about as usual and seemingly none the worse for his fall, Wednesday.

INSURANCEMAN NOW GROCER

S. J. Johnson, one of Portsmouth's pioneer insurance agents, has resigned his place with the Western & Southern Life Insurance Company and has opened a grocery store at 1013 Eleventh street, in the room adjoining Adam Pfau's bakery. Mr. Johnson has been located for 12 years in this city, during which time he worked for the above company. He has a host of friends and well-wishers and will no doubt meet with success in his new venture.

Foreman 'Watched'

Charley Rice, foreman of the shipping department of the Whitaker-Glossner plant in New Boston, will always have occasion to remember his 29th birthday anniversary, Wednesday. Workmen in his department presented him with a solid gold 21 jeweled Waltham watch. Jeff McCann made the presentation speech.

Concrete Mixers Here

The Sheridan-Kirk Company, pavers of the pike between Sciotoville and Wheelersburg, received two T. L. Smith and Company concrete mixers Wednesday and were put on the scene of paving at once. The mixers are a small one, to be used in mixing curb material, and one will be used to mix concrete base.

Concert For The "Kiddies"

The Bigelow church band gave a concert at the county children's home Tuesday night for the pleasure of the inmates. The youngsters greatly enjoyed the entertainment.

BRUISED SIDE IN "HEADER"

Fitzhugh Lee, representing Marting Bros. and Company, fell from the porch of a home back of Sciotoville, Tuesday afternoon, when the heel of his shoe caught on a step. His left side was bruised.

LAWN FETE TONIGHT

The trustees of Allen Chapel will give a lawn fete in the yard of the Eleventh street school building tonight. The Lewis Brass Band will furnish the music. An auto ride will be one of the features of the festivities. Refreshments will be on sale.

Meeting Deferred

Peerless Lodge No. 769 Knights of Pythias, has deferred its meeting of next Tuesday until the following week on account of Fourth of July. Three candidates will be initiated at the meeting. Several other applications for membership will also be acted upon.

Gains 25 Pounds In 30 Days

Remarkable Experience of P. G. Clark Builds Up Weight Quickly

"It was all run down," writes P. G. Clark. "I had to quit work I was so weak. Now, thanks to toneline, I look like a new man. I gained 25 pounds in 30 days. Toneline has put 10 pounds on me in 14 days," states Clark. "I have made no sleep well, enjoy what I ate and enabled me to work with interest and pleasure."

If you would like to put on a few pounds of good solid flesh, we will send you three a box of toneline to prove what it will do for you.

Address: The American Proprietary Co., Boston, Mass., enclosing 10 cents to help pay for postage and packing.

For sale by Stewart's Cut-Rate Medicine Store.

Flower Scents.

True flower scents are obtained in three ways—first, by spreading fresh blossoms upon glass thickly smeared with pure grease, letting them stand in the sun and as they wilt replacing them until the grease is as fragrant as the flowers; second, by repeatedly infusing fresh petals in oil, and, third, by infusing them in ether, which is then distilled to a dry solid.

and best bidder and for not less than our value and accrued interest to date of delivery.

All bids must state the number of bonds bid for, the gross amount of the bid and accrued interest to date of delivery, to the order of Louis A. Zuckler, Treasurer of the City of Portsmouth (City's Proprietor), dated July 1st, 1916, and maturing as follows:

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CAPTIVES RELEASED!

EL PASO, TEXAS, June 29--General Trevino has ordered that American Prisoners interned in the penitentiary at Chihuahua City be released. This information was received by the Juarez Commandant last night.

El Paso, Texas, June 29--General Jacinto Trevino has ordered that the American prisoners interned at Chihuahua City be taken to Juarez and there, with their arms and accoutrements, be released. This information was received at the Juarez Commandancia last night. Mexican authorities asserted that General George Bell, Jr., commanding the El Paso military district, had been notified of General Trevino's order and that the prisoners are expected to reach Juarez tomorrow. General Bell did not deny the report but refused to discuss it. There are twenty-three American troopers held at Chihuahua City, excluding Lem Spillsbury, the Mormon scout. Late yesterday afternoon it was announced from the Commandancia in Juarez that a message had been transmitted over the Mexican Telegraph which stated that the twenty-three negroes of the Tenth cavalry captured at Carrizal with Lem S. Spillsbury, Mormon scout, had been removed from prison. The message added that the men with their arms and accoutrements, under heavy guard, had been placed on a Mexican Central train for Juarez where they are expected to arrive this morning.

Mexican Crisis Is Relieved By Carranza's Action

Washington, D. C., June 29.--Release of the American troops captured at Carrizal has removed one dangerous element in the Mexican situation, but it was apparent today that it had only somewhat relieved and had not removed the grave menace to continuance of friendly relations between the United States and the Mexican defacto government.

By freeing the prisoners General Carranza met only one demand made by President Wilson. The other, that Carranza declare his future attitude toward the American forces in Mexico, remains unanswered until the latest communication arrives from Mexico City. It was expected today. On the supposition that the Carranza government may maintain its policy of attacking American forces moving in any direction except north activities looking toward speedy transportation of National Guards to the border showed no relaxation today.

There were two hopeful factors in the situation, however. First, whatever General Carranza's answer may be, it probably will require further diplomatic conversations, and thus hostilities may be averted, at least temporarily. Second, many observers were inclined to believe the yielding attitude of the Mexican government in the case of the prisoners indicates a tendency which may be reflected in further dealings.

The condition under which the United States government had refused to consider mediation, also is removed with the freeing of troops. Minister Calderon of Bolivia, had an engagement with Secretary Lansing today to discuss the Latin American offers to assist in arbitrating the dispute.

It is believed considerable influence must have been exerted on General Carranza by South American governments, American interests with investments in Mexico and Mexican labor leaders who conferred with President Gompers of the American Federation of Labor here yesterday. Mr. Gompers sent a message to Carranza personally appealing for action to prevent a break. One American company with interests in Mexico is reported to have spent several hundred dollars on cablegrams and telegrams to defacto government officials during the last few days.

President Wilson considered the situation sufficiently relieved today to plan a trip to Philadelphia, where he was to address the Associated Advertising Clubs of the World, this afternoon.

Washington, D. C., June 29.--Mexican Ambassador designate Arredondo today received a message from Foreign Minister Aguilar confirming that First Chief Carranza had issued orders to General Trevino to release the American troops captured at Carrizal and since held prisoners at Chihuahua City.

General Funston advised the war department early today of the despatch received by him last night from General Bell saying that Consul Garcia had informed him at El Paso of the order for the release of the American troops interned by the Carranza authorities at Chihuahua City. No confirmation had been received from other sources than Mexico. The despatch merely said that Consul Garcia had telephoned General Bell that the soldiers had been ordered freed and were enroute last night from Chihuahua to Juarez, at which point they were expected to arrive this morning.

NOT HIS INTENT



CAPT. HANS TAUSCHER

New York--Attorneys for Captain Hans Tauscher, husband of Madam Galski, now on trial here, indicted for complicity in a plot to blow up the Welland Canal in September, 1914, will plead that the defendant had no intention of committing the specific crime with which he is charged.

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U. S. TROOPS CAMPAIGNING IN THE DESERT



U. S. MARINE KILLED IN TRENCH FIGHT AT SANTO DOMINGO

Washington, June 29.--An engagement lasting one hour between American marines and Santo Domingo rebels Tuesday at Montecristi, was reported to

camp during the day on large motor trucks. The militiamen who went into camp today found everything complete for their comfort and health.

The second field corps, commanded by Major H. H. Snively, also moved to the camp today. The hospital company will be ready for any emergency.

The Y. M. C. A. played its part in the mobilization today. The infantrymen found awaiting them a large lot in which writing tables had been installed and stationery provided in order that writing home might be made easy.

The Association had placed in charge of its tent Seth Drummond, a Y. M. C. A. secretary, whose experience is largely made up of army life.

EIGHTH REGIMENT OF THE OHIO GUARD GOES INTO CAMP

Columbus, O., June 29--Ohio's biggest national guard regiment, the Eighth, marched into Camp Willis today. It was the first to enter the mobilization camp following the orders issued by President Wilson over a week ago.

During the next few days the guard will be gathered rapidly in the new camp. Entraining orders for the Sixth regiment, of Toledo, the Fourth, of Columbus, the Fifth, of Cleveland, the Second, of Ada, and the Third, of Dayton, are expected in quick succession.

MIT RELIEF CLAUSE

Washington, D. C., June 29--Adoption by the senate of the Hay resolution authorizing the president to draft the national guard for federal purposes and to combine incomplete units for field action was necessary today to complete the legislation.

The house approved the resolution yesterday after Secretary Baker of the war department had urged the imperative need of immediate action. Before doing so, however,

WEATHER

Ohio--Partly cloudy tonight and Friday. Probably showers near the lake.

HAMMOND IS BETTER

Edward Hammond, a resident of Firebrick, Ky., who was assaulted last Saturday night when he was hit over the head with a chair and his skull was fractured, was reported better at the hospital Thursday.

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MUST DO OUR PART

In a day or two, a committee, consisting of Messrs. Frank M. Bages, Alan Jordan and Charles Dachler, being thereto authorized by the board of trade, will go among the merchants, wholesalers and manufacturers to collect in the aggregate the sum of \$600, the amount of the city's assessment for membership in the Ohio Valley Improvement Association.

The committee is not expecting to do any arduous work in making the collection and its task ought to be easy. Money is needed, of course, to carry out the mission of the association and its efforts now, above all other times, should not be permitted to lag because so little comparatively remains to bring the most complete success. The object of the association, as so well known, is to procure the canalization of the Ohio river to a nine foot stage all the year 'round. This project is already at least sixty-five per cent completed and there is no longer any cause for doubt of its entire feasibility and value to the commerce of the whole country.

There is some danger, that owing to wars and rumors of wars, continuous improvement that will carry to complete consummation, may lag. Yet war but accentuates the momentous importance of the enterprise. Fuel is one of the prime essentials of warfare. The Ohio connects the coal fields with the gulf, where must be a principal rendezvous and supply point of navy and army.

No matter, however, what the worth of a public undertaking it seldom can gain momentum without some agitation and organization. This requires the use of money in entirely legitimate ways and that money must be contributed by those who have the means, the vision and the spirit. We have no fear, that in this instance, where the enterprise means so much to her directly that Portsmouth will prove laggard.

THE INCIDENTS OF WAR

What is poison for one may be food for another. The greatest calamity that has ever befallen Europe is the war now going on thereover; it is proving a blessing to America far outside the direct gain through increased demand for her products and lessened competition in commerce. For example this country has been importing dye stuffs from Germany, getting almost her entire supply thereof from abroad of superior quality, because it would have required many millions to establish competitive plants here and the return of dividends was uncertain. Necessity, however, has driven to action and a number of immense dye factories have already been put in operation. Their output is scarce equal in quality to the German goods, but American ingenuity and enterprise, having once started to work, can be depended upon to improve them until none other will be superior. More astonishing still is the revelation, that manganese ore, used by steel plants, so largely in the reduction of American iron, has been obtained chiefly through the Black Sea ports. This source of supply has practically been cut off by the war and necessity has forced the opening of bodies of the ore, existing in this country, with the result that particularly valuable deposits have been developed.

What we can't understand is how it comes that after these Mexicans have been slaughtering each other by the tens of hundreds of thousands for years they have millions upon millions of men under arms. May be some source is running up the hosts so we can make good on the boast that one gringo can thrash ten greasers.

Let's see, wasn't last Sunday Father's Day? And poor old dad, as usual, he wasn't wanted messing 'round and he had to wander more or less aimlessly about until he could fall in with some cronies.

May be it isn't just the time and occasion to draw attention to the fact that Mr. Carranza also wears some whiskers.

It is hardly necessary to say that now is not the time to believe all you hear coming out of Mexico or about her.

The cablegram is freighted with rumors that the Allies' offensive is getting underway. We shall wait and see what we shall see.

Somewhat Kansas is ever held up as the typically American state and yet the percentage of her foreign-born population and immediate descendants of foreigners is one per cent greater than that of Missouri, which has a greater proportion of native-born citizens than any other state.

The Bluefield Telegraph is one of a thousand and more G. O. P. organs, publishing Roosevelt's renunciation of Bull Mooseism, that pronounces it an able document. We thought as much, that is every one of the organs would express just that opinion and we are not in the least disappointed. As a matter of fact, the letter is mighty tame, considering who it is from. But then remove a man from the spotlight and let him see the audience with his head turned away from him and that sure does put the brakes on him.

According to the paragrapher of the Lexington Herald, there is no longer applicability of the jingling air of 'The Girl I Left Behind Me', because the girl gets out her white apron and cap, her curling iron, and talcum powder, to say nothing of her bottled peach blow complexion, and goes along as a Red Cross nurse.

COMING TO TIME



OUR FAULT, NOT OUR BLAME

Every day it becomes more imminent that the United States will go to war with Mexico.

When this unfortunate climax comes it will be a paradox where we are at fault and yet not to blame.

That because American citizens and American interests have encouraged and fomented acts that produced the conditions that now seem to make war inevitable. American capital, first, may be moved by a laudable enterprise sought profits in the development of the resources, particularly of the metals, ores and oils of the country to the south. Such, however, were the returns, that the lust of greater profits and permanent security seized upon the foreigners and they began the unconscionable exploitation and downright robbery of the land, not uncoupled with exploitation of the country. It is not surprising that, in a government, which maintained itself largely by bribery and fear, this condition should produce other freebooters ruder and coarser in their methods, of pillage. From this it was natural there should be incitement of prejudice and hostility against those who were ravening fat upon the land and yet were not of it. Buying local officials and governments and armies of liberation that sprang up over night became a bad business and a most insecure investment. Then it was, in peril and stress, the old flag was turned to for protection of American "interests" and American rights. There is a widespread belief, founded upon confabulatory circumstances, that to haste intervention by the United States some of her citizens, long stranger to her, provoked the outrages that have become intolerable. Thus far is it our fault. But we are not to blame that Mexico could not decently and in order preserve her own welfare, but must needs offend a nation, which in its entirety wills her no ill and would do her no harm, can she in dignity and honor find other ways to protect her own people in their just rights and security.

For be it remembered that Mexico has inherently within herself the right to decently and in order preserve herself against spoliation, but she has no right to despoil herself and indiscriminately ravage and kill.

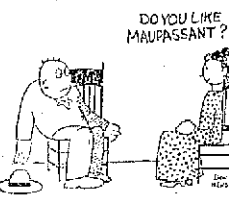
If we had any doubt about the death of Earl Kitchener it would be removed by the valuable praise that the German papers are bestowing upon him.

Viewing the present attitude of Mexico we are willing to believe that story that two drinks of mescal will make a rabbit spit in the face of a bull-dog.

No tall timber for the Nebraskan, this trip, if you please. He is going to take to the stump.

Everyday Wisdom

BY DON HAROLD



CONVERSATION
It is rare these days that you meet a girl who will sit you down in her parlor and converse at you for three or four hours. They are so rare these days that a young man does not have to spend more than one evening with one of this sort. He never goes back. It is a pleasure to note the passing of conversation as an art.

The art form of conversation was based on the theory that everybody is your enemy and that you should not tell them anything, nor listen to anything they had to say. This required a great deal of cleverness. While a person was telling you something without saying anything worth while, it was necessary for you to be thinking up something which would not make any impression on him. Or her. Mostly her.

Nowadays we sit down and ask a girl what she has been doing during the day, and she tells us that she had the onions and took a music lesson and washed her hair—and that that is a pretty full day—and washing your hair is a pretty full day, etc. When girls used to converse, it took a couple of months to decide whether or not you liked them. Today, if they converse, it takes about a couple of hours to decide that you don't like them.

(Protected by George Matthew Adams)

Scanning the eastern front we should say the Austrians as fighters are in-and-outers, with a slight acceleration towards the outness.

BedTime Tales

Blue's Joke On Chirpy

OVER IN THE neighbor's yard, Bluey Blackbird walked up and down, up and down, in his most dignified fashion. He didn't care much for staying in the garden, he preferred his own company every time. And any war, he knew a very nice place to get worms under some tumbled over grape vines in the back of the neighbor's yard. So he walked up and down, up and down, and thought about what a wonderful creature he was.

From a branch in the old pine tree, Chirpy Sparrow called him. "There's that blackbird person," said Chirpy to himself, "and I must say he's behaved very well this year. He hasn't taken any of our nice fat worms as he did last year. Poor fellow! He must be hungry half the time. I guess I'll go down and talk to him." So down he flew.

Now Bluey Blackbird was just getting ready to get some worms from that private grapevine place of his and of course he didn't want Chirpy to find out about it. So he pretended he had nothing at all to do, and was very glad to talk to Chirpy.

"How do you do?" said Chirpy, and he determined to be very pleasant to that poor hungry blackbird. "Very well, I thank you," replied Bluey Blackbird, and he determined that Chirpy should never find where he got his worms. "I thought I'd come over and talk to you, you're such a handsome fellow," said Chirpy. "Kind of you, dear friend," said Bluey, and his eyes twinkled, for above all things (except worms) he liked compliments. "I wish I was big like you are," said Chirpy, and he looked admiringly at Bluey. "Then huff yourself out and walk as I do," replied Bluey, and he huffed himself out big and fat, and strutted down the yard.



"I wish I was big like you are," said Chirpy

"I guess I can never look like you," he said, as he breathed naturally again. "But I do admire you. And like your big hearty voice! I wish I could talk as you do." "Then I'll yourself with air and quaver as I do," said Bluey. And, with the action to his words, he drew in a great breath of air and made such a loud squawk that Chirpy was frightened and flew away. "There," said he, "I'll never again try to be big to grab, scary blackbird, even if he is hungry." "There," said Bluey at the same time, "he's gone, and I can eat my dinner."

Tomorrow—A Butterfly's Day

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NEW-YORK-DAY-BY-DAY.

BY O.O. MCINTYRE.

New York, June 29—New Rochelle has another problem on its hands. Beats all how things happen there. First it was hard to make outsiders believe the place wasn't a medicine, but a regular honest-to-goodness town with cops, letter carriers and everything.

Then Eddie Foy, the well-known parent, decided it would be a good town to store his family and chuckle the streets with his children. And just after that George Colman put the town back in the lull league with that "Forty-Five Minutes From Broadway" refrain.

Now it's the high cost of kissing that bothers New Rochelle. Go ahead and laugh, but you wouldn't think it so funny if you had to pay \$15 for kissing your best girl in public.

That is what snacks are costing in the open market there right now. A city magistrate has placed the cost of kissing beyond the reach of common people by fining them that exact amount. Think of it! Fifteen life-size American bucks for picking cherries, and in the month of June, too.

Also wives up there follow their husbands to the station and kiss them every few feet, their fervency being readily understandable when it becomes known that the men use the New Haven to get to and from town.

Charlie Edison has just returned from a junk to his home on Half Moon Mountain, Arkansas. During a dance while he was there a fight took place and there was considerable shooting and much bloodshed.

The young mountain girls looked on with equanimity, but one girl, a stranger in the crowd, swooned away.

"Who was it that fainted?" one of the girls asked. "I don't know. Some town gal, I reckon; they're most all sickly," was the reply.

Renold Wolf has for years been shooting his darts at J. Fred Zimmerman, Jr. in his column in the Morning Telegraph. Zimmerman and Wolf are bosom friends, but to

read his remarks about "Hercules," as Wolf calls Zimmerman, would give the average reader the impression that Zimmerman was Broadway's Biggest Boob.

The latest paragraph appeared in Wolf's column as follows: "Last evening J. Fred Zimmerman, Jr. and Mary Pickford and spent fifteen minutes endeavoring to persuade her to go into moving pictures."

They were discussing war at a Fifth Avenue club. Nation after nation has found itself drawn into this world war, observed Edward Henry Clift. He pointed out that evil communications corrupt good manners and that you can't touch pitch and remain undefiled.

"It is like the man who returned a parrot he'd bought the month before," he said. "It seems the man wanted his money back for the bird and the dealer asked what was the matter with it."

"Wh-a-r-why," he said angrily, "the d-d-durn thing st-st-stutters."

Another Urbana, O., citizen has jumped to prominence in New York Urbana is the home of St. Gaudens, the sculptor. Raymond Hubbell, the composer, Billy Single Clifford and Benjamin Ingepool Burt. The latest over for fame is Francis E. Reid, who has become general manager for Charles Frohman. Reid is a favorite among newspapermen and is a graduate of Princeton. He was for many years an important editorial executive on the New York Herald. He belongs to one club—the Only Their Husbands Club. His wife is Josephine Victor, a talented actress.

Go to Blaise's.
When you think you are consigning a bore or any one who irritates you beyond endurance to a hot spot by telling him to "go to blazes" it appears that you are mistaken and that instead of being rudely abusive you are in fact merely blandly polite. The explanation is that once, in some far-away time, there was a good bishop named Blaise, who was always ready to dispense wise and sound advice to all applicants; hence it grew customary to say "Go to Blaise's."—Washington Post.

Doc Koko's KOLUMN

I'll Tell You What's Keeping You Down, Jim

I'll tell you what's keeping you down, Jim, On the same job year after year— Though your service has been long and faithful And your record is straight and clear; I have thought on your case many times, Jim, And of what I could do for you— I'd be glad of the chance to promote you. But what other work can you do?

There is work to be done all around, Jim, That carries more money. And still, Of all the jobs that surround you, Is there even one you can fill? True, you've worked many years in the service, And you've never been known to shirk. But what time have you spent in preparing To take up some other man's work?

On the heavy upgrade of achievement, Where the footsteps of others have led, It's the men who are always preparing That are constantly forging ahead. There are places ahead to be filled, Jim, For those who are playing the game; But some won't prepare for promotion. The firm is not always to blame. —Salesman-Ship.

Consolation

A German spy caught red-handed was on his way to be shot. "I think you, English are brutes," he growled, "to march me through this rain and slush." "Well," said the "Tommy" who was escorting him, "what about me? I have to go back in it."—Tit-Bits.

How Nice of Archie

Sweet Girl, (affectionately)— Father, you wouldn't like me to leave you, would you? Papa (fondly)—Indeed, I would not, my darling. Sweet Girl—Well, then, father, I'll marry Archie Stonybroke. He is quite willing to live here.

An Effective Mask

"Such a lot of things happened this afternoon, dear," said Mrs. Youngbridge to her husband. "I complained to Nora about the stove not being thickened and she put on her things and left. Then I decided to black the stove myself, and right in the midst of it who should call but Mrs. De Style?"

"What in the world did you do?" "I just put some more blacking on my face, went to the door and told her I wasn't in. And off she went, saying she would call again."

Looked That Way

Tommy saw a small tug towing a large ship and heard the tug whistle loudly. "Oh, papa," he cried greatly excited, "See! The big boat's got the little one by the tail and it's squealing!"—Exchange.

Stripes Are the Latest, You Know
Mr. Knapp—"I wish I lived where the stripes in dress never change." Mrs. Knapp—"Try the penitentiary."

No News From Nish

The news from Nish, with eggs and fish, We used to get at table. At breakfast hour we would devour The products of the cable.

The news from Nish made quite a dish And set the people yelping. But something's wrong; for ages long We haven't had a helping. —Pittsburgh Post.

Punishment

Wife—Now, John, my sister Belle and her steady are coming to call on us tonight. So you must act the part of an ideally happy married man. She's not quite sure of him yet. John (sincerely)—Leave it to me! That lobster trimmed me in a horse trade once! Leave it to me!

What A Name for a Teacher!
Miss Nellie Strupp resumed her duties as teacher in the public schools Monday after a week's absence on account of illness.—The Plain City (O.) Advocate.

System

Steno—"Doesn't that 'efficiency expert make you tired?" Shipping Clerk—"Oh, I dunno! By following out his instructions I get more time to loaf on the job!"—Punch.

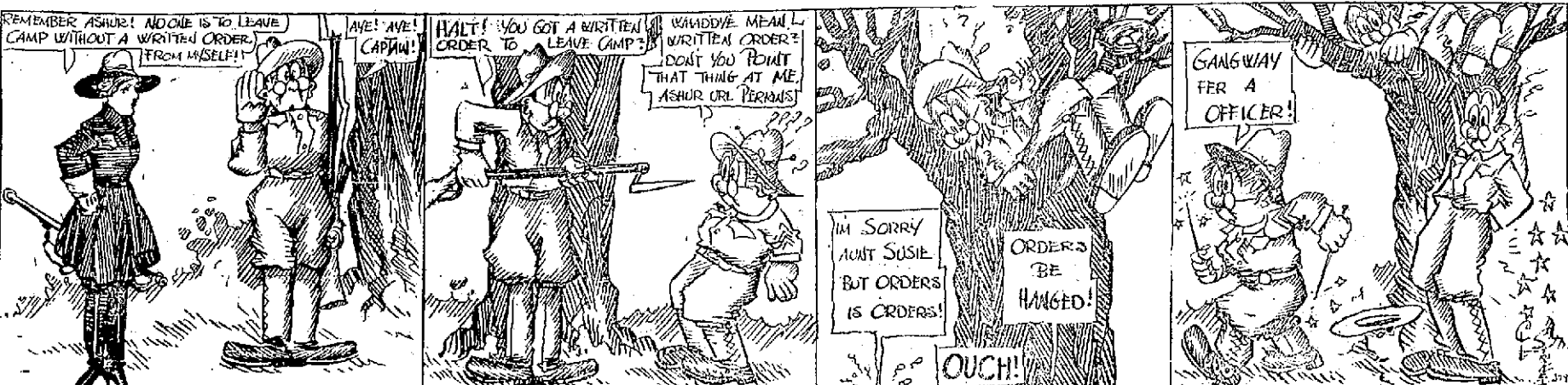
Entertaining The Slums

"Asphodelia Twobble went down into the tenement district yesterday to brighten the lives of poor slum dwellers." "Highly commendable. What did she do for them?" "She told them about the good times she's been having at Palm Beach."

POLLY AND HER PALS

Well, Officers Have the Right of Way!

By CLIFF STERRETT



JEALOUSY SAID TO HAVE CAUSED SHOOTING

Charles H. Hill Lies In City Hospital Badly Wounded; Wife Saw Him Shot; Gun User Flees

With a bullet lodged in his abdomen and one in his neck, Charles H. Hill, aged 27, lies in a precarious condition at the Hempstead hospital. Grover "Red" Kennedy, aged 24, charged with shooting Hill, is missing. He is supposed to have jumped into a boat and crossed the Ohio river at Sciotoville last night and escaped to Kentucky.

The shooting took place last night on a shanty boat owned by Hill and moored just below the new C. & O. bridge that is to span the Ohio river at Sciotoville.

Mrs. Hill was an eye witness to the shooting and she made an unsuccessful attempt to wrest the gun, a 41 caliber Colt, from the hands of Kennedy. The two men scuffled for a short time in the little craft before Kennedy secured the revolver concealed under the pillow of a bed and fired twice at Hill when within a few feet of him. Both bullets took effect.

Jealousy is supposed to have led up to the shooting, this theory given credence at Sciotoville from the fact that Kennedy, it is claimed, was frequently seen in the company of Mrs. Hill. At the hospital last night Hill was able to talk and looking up into the eyes of his wife, said: "It was my temper again. I guess this time I am gone."

Wounded Man Starts For Help

Shortly after the shooting Hill started up the river grade at Sciotoville, and reaching the porch of the home of John McKinney, he fell on the floor, his clothes being saturated with blood. Mr. McKinney rushed to his door armed with a corn knife, as he thought burglars had visited his home, and found Hill writhing in pain. Some time was lost before Dr. York could be located and arriving upon the scene, he ordered Hill removed to the hospital, and his wife accompanied him.

At the hospital it was stated this morning that Hill had a bad night and his condition was very serious.

Had Been Quarreling With His Wife

About ten days ago Charles Hill wrote to Grover Kennedy, who resides near Proctorsville, Lawrence county, and asked him to come to Sciotoville as he could secure work for him. Kennedy arrived at that village on June 20 and accepted employment on the new C. & O. railroad. He occupied a shanty boat moored just a few yards above the Hill boat. For several days everything passed smoothly between the parties, but since Sunday it is claimed that Hill has been quarreling with his wife and expressed a desire to leave Sciotoville. Mrs. Hill said she was going to stay at Sciotoville.

A Times man, who visited the scene this morning was told that Hill packed up his belongings last night and had started away and then returned to his boat. He found Kennedy in the boat and the two men soon passed heated words that led to the shooting. Kennedy, according to Mrs. Hill's statement this morning, knew that she kept a gun under her pillow and she supposed that he secured it and shot her husband with her gun. She says loud words were exchanged before a shot was fired. Then one shot was fired. At the second one she says she heard her husband say: "Oh Lord, I am shot." It was then that Mrs. Hill fled from the boat and ran screaming up the grade.

Mrs. Hill says that her husband blew the light out in the boat as soon as he reached it and the two men battled desperately in the dark. She says it was so dark that she could not see what her husband was doing.

A 41 Colt revolver which is supposed to be the weapon used by Kennedy to shoot Hill was found in a box on the river grade near the scene of the shooting this morning. Mrs. Hill was shown the gun and she recognized it as the one her husband presented to her to protect herself while he was at work.

Every day that the TIMES is published, builders list their bargains on TIMES WANT AD page.

Going To Covington

Lee Ferguson, painter and paper-hanger, will leave Thursday for Covington, Ky., to join his wife and children, who are guests of her relatives. He will attend the races at Latonia.

Will Draft Resolutions

Warren Riddleberger, George Schroeder and Martin Clark have been named as a committee by the Owls to draw up resolutions on the death of member Joe Reider.

Found Sale Slips

Henry Glockner, a Market street grocer, Wednesday found a package of Atlas Trading company sales slips which he will gladly turn over to the owner.

Concrete Mixers Here

The Sheridan-Kirk Company, pavers of the pike between Sciotoville and Wheelersburg, received two T. L. Smith and Company concrete mixers Wednesday and were put on the scene of paving at once. The mixers came from Milwaukee. One mixer is a small one, to be used in mixing curb material, and one will be used to mix concrete base.

Concert For The "Kiddies"

The Bigelow church band gave a concert at the county children's home Tuesday night for the pleasure of the inmates. The youngsters greatly enjoyed the entertainment.

BRUISED SIDE IN "HEADER"

Fitzhugh Lee, representing Marting Bros. and Company, fell from the porch of a home back of Sciotoville, Tuesday afternoon, when the heel of his shoe caught on a step. His left side was bruised.

Notice of Sale of School Bonds.

Sealed proposals will be received at the residence of Allen P. Myers, being the office of the clerk and treasurer of the Buena Vista Rural School District, Scioto county, Ohio, Buena Vista, Ohio, until 12 o'clock noon, on the sixth day of July, 1916, for the purchase of bonds of said school district, in the aggregate sum of One Thousand (\$1000) dollars, dated May 15, 1916, said bonds being consecutively numbered from No. 1 to ten (10) bonds, each having a maturity date of November 1, 1921, and one of bonds Nos. 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 to mature on the 15th day of November, 1922, and one of bonds Nos. 7, 8 and 9 to mature each twelve months thereafter, said bonds bearing interest at the rate of five per cent (5) per annum, payable semi-annually, on the 15th day of November and May of each year, with interest coupons attached to said bonds.

Said bonds are issued by the virtue of the authority of Sections 252, 253 and 254 of the General Code of Ohio and in affirmative vote of the electors of said school district and under and in accordance with a resolution of said Board of Education adopted on the 10th day of May, 1916, and for the purpose of repairing, equipping and improving the school building and improving the school grounds.

Said bonds shall be sold to the highest and best bidder and for not less than par value and accrued interest to date of delivery. All bids for the aggregate amount must be accompanied by a certified check in some bank authorized in Scioto county, Ohio, for Fifty (\$50.00) dollars, and all bids for a part of the bonds must be accompanied by a certified check for an amount equal to five per cent (5) of the aggregate par value of the bonds bid for. Said check must be made payable to the clerk and treasurer of the said school district upon condition that if the bid is accepted the bid will receive and pay for the bonds awarded on said bid, delivery thereof, and the property of said school district if said condition is not fulfilled, otherwise to be returned to the bidder. The Board of Education reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Communications may be addressed to the undersigned: ALVIN P. MYERS, Clerk and Treasurer of the Buena Vista Rural School District, Buena Vista, Ohio, Buena Vista, Ohio, June 14, 1916.

Foreman 'Watched'

Charley Rice, foreman of the shipping department of the Whitaker-Gleason plant in New Boston, will always have occasion to remember his 29th birthday anniversary, Wednesday. Workmen in his department presented him with a solid gold 21 jeweled Waltham watch. Jeff McCann made the presentation speech.

INSURANCE MAN NOW GROCER

S. J. Johnson, one of Portsmouth's pioneer insurance agents, has resigned his place with the Western & Southern Lino Insurance Company and has opened a grocery store at 1013 Eleventh street, in the room adjoining Adam Pfau's bakery. Mr. Johnson has been located for 12 years in this city, during which time he worked for the above company. He has a host of friends and well-wishers and will no doubt meet with success in his new venture.

EARL SMITH IN CITY

Earl Smith, crack outfielder for the Omaha team, Western League, arrived home Wednesday to spend a few days with his parents. Sheriff and Mrs. E. W. Smith. Mr. Smith is playing an excellent game this year and has been hitting at a three hundred clip.

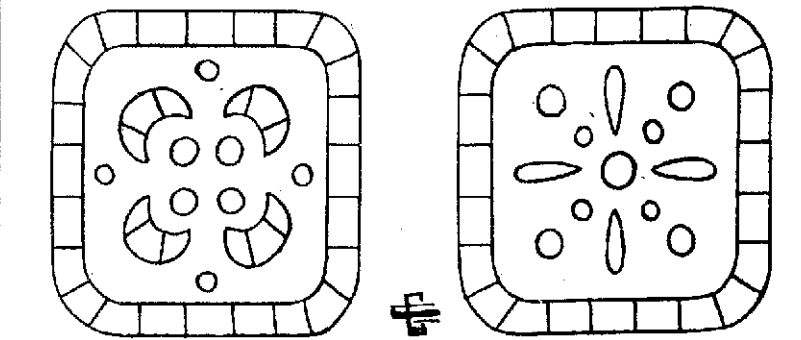
Case Is Closed

Cincinnati, O., June 28—Referee Mark A. Crawford, Portsmouth, Ohio, yesterday filed in United States District Court his final report, closing the case of Walter A. Finney, Portsmouth, Ohio, bankrupt collector. The liabilities amounted to \$2,263.55. No assets.

If you have a room which is not occupied you should be using TIMES WANT ADS.



MOTIF FOR PATCHWORK



DIRECTIONS FOR TRANSFERRING

In taking off these patterns, lay a piece of impression paper upon the material, place the newspaper pattern over this, and with a hard, sharp pencil draw freely over each line. If the material is sheer it may be laid over the pattern and drawn off with pencil, as the design will show through. No patterns of these designs are available.

Dr. W. J. Keyes Elected Captain Of Company K Wednesday Night

At a meeting of Company K held in Kendall Hall Wednesday evening, Dr. W. J. Keyes, with offices in the First National Bank building, was elected captain of the company, succeeding Lieutenant Joe Horchow, who sometime ago was elected captain, but declined to serve.

Dr. Keyes is one of the city's best known citizens, and under his able leadership, Company K will no doubt take on a new lease on life. He has been a resident of Portsmouth eleven years, and is just the sort of man under whom soldier boys can work with confidence and enthusiasm. As soon as Captain Keyes undergoes a physical examination, and receives his commission, he will take charge of Company K, which under his leadership is to be recruited to war strength and kept at the highest possible rate of efficiency.

Relative to Lieutenant Horchow's refusal to accept the captaincy and his willingness to step aside for a more experienced man, he issued the following statement Thursday morning:

"Believing it to be for the best interests of Company K, I declined the captaincy of Company K. A man more mature in years

would have a decided influence with the personnel of the organization, which a younger man could not have.

"It is practically an established fact, that an organization of this character will fare better under the leadership of a man who has had many years experience in the management of men.

"I therefore declined this election and heartily recommended the captain, Dr. W. J. Keyes. I would ask that every member of the company, every citizen and friend of the organization, give him the whole-hearted support that they have so kindly tendered me."

"JOE HORCHOW." For some time a joint committee from the Board of Trade, Employers' Association and the Business Men's Association have been rendering valuable assistance to Company K in its hunt for a new captain. They are eminently pleased with the election of Captain Keyes and every member of the committee feel confident that the local militia company under Captain Keyes will develop into one of the best in the state.

Lieutenant Joe Horchow will retain this office and Howard Harsha continues as second lieutenant.

FIVE DOLLARS IN GOLD FOR BEST K. K. SLOGAN

Do you want to win five dollars in gold? All you have to do to win that amount of mazzuma is to write five words, which, when properly connected, will make the best slogan for Portsmouth, said slogan to be used not only during the advertising days of the Korn Karnival, but which can be adopted by the Business Men's association, and which will be used on all stationery which has for its purpose the boosting of the Peerless City.

Get busy and write a slogan. It must not contain over five words—the shorter the better. Write the slogan, mail it to Ralph Thomas, secretary of the Business Men's association, Masonic Temple. The slogans must be in the hands of Secretary Thomas by next Wednesday, July 5. At a meeting of the Korn Karnival advertising committee to be held on Thursday morning, July 6, at 8 o'clock, it will be decided which slogan is the best and the winner will receive five dollars in gold. Of course the committee will award no prize unless the slogan has sufficient "punch" to warrant its adoption.

THREE LOCAL MEN ARE LICENSED TO PREACH

C. M. Weyand, W. W. McClure and Wesley Bennett, three members of Bigelow church, have been licensed to preach. The local men were among a number given licenses at the Portsmouth District M. E. conference held in Jackson, O., Monday and Tuesday of this week. Rev. L. L. Magee, district superintendent, Rev. W. T. Gilliland, Rev. C. L. Strecker and Rev. J. E. Dibert, of this city, were present. The conference was held in the First M. E. church, Jackson, of which Rev. T. R. Watson is pastor. Rev. L. L. Magee presided.

Monday afternoon G. D. Gilliland, a District M. E. superintendent from Boise City, Idaho, gave a splendid talk on Methodist work in Idaho and Utah and a description of the country where he lives.

At the election of officers Rev. W. A. Thomas, of Ironton, was elected secretary and treasurer. Rev. Magee's office is a continuous one.

Rev. W. H. Miller, of Columbus, gave a talk on "Need of Preachers." Rev. W. T. Gilliland, of Manly church, gave a talk on "The Forward Movement of the M. E. Church." Rev. Frederick Ross, pastor of the First M. E. church, Ironton, gave a talk on the work of the General Conference. He especially mentioned the work necessary in bringing about a union of the two main branches of Methodism.

Rev. C. Lloyd Strecker, of Trinity church, read a paper on "The Gary Method."

Rev. J. E. Dibert, of Wesley Hall Mission, gave an interesting talk on "The Work of Wesley Hall Mission."

The Tuesday evening session was given over to a stereopticon lecture by Rev. W. E. Bancroft, returned missionary from Bombay, India, who made a very interesting talk on his work in the mission field.

The 1917 Portsmouth District M. E. Conference will be held in Pileton M. E. church, Pike county.

LAWN FETE TONIGHT

The trustees of Allen Chapel will give a lawn fete in the yard of the Eleventh street school building tonight. The Lewis Brass Band will furnish the music. An auto ride will be one of the features of the festivities. Refreshments will be on sale.

The Movies

At The Temple
Today is "Baby Show" day at the Temple theatre. Tonight will be shown over 100 more of the beautiful babies in the East End. Come out to see them. Pick out the one you like best. These pictures will be entirely different from the ones shown recently. A real baby show right on the screen. "Seeds of Suspicion" is the title of Chapter II of "The Red Circle."

June Travis comes again under the influence of the Red Circle when a desire to aid Gordon, the accused lawyer, against his persecutors overwhelms her, and she succeeds in accomplishing his escape from Lamar's office, and later obtains the document upon which the charge against him is based.

Two reels of "Neal of the Navy" and a good comedy complete the bill.

Meeting Deferred

Peerless Lodge No. 769 Knights of Pythias, has deferred its meeting of next Tuesday until the following week on account of Fourth of July. Three candidates will be initiated at the meeting. Several other applications for membership will also be acted upon.

Fraternal Memorial Day Will Be Made An Annual Event In City

Representatives of sixteen fraternal organizations met at the Ben Hur hall Wednesday evening and adopted a charter and constitution and permanently organized a league, the purpose of which will be to perpetuate fraternal memorial day. The temporary officers will be retained until the first of next year. Roy McElhenny is chairman, Joseph Diener, vice-chairman, and George Enrich, secretary.

The name adopted was: "The Federation of Fraternal Societies of Portsmouth and Vicinity." The organization expects next year to have an entirely new program for memorial day and hope to secure the cooperation of all of the fraternal organizations in the city and vicinity. They have also set aside two days each year to commemorate. One will be the memorial and the other a "Day of Thanksgiving," to be held on Thanksgiving Day.

The next meeting will be held on the first Monday in September. A resolution was passed thanking all those who assisted in making the union memorial day a complete success. Those given special mention were: The Horus Floral company, the owners of automobiles, the city administration, Governor Frank B. Willis, the old soldiers, members of fraternal organizations and the trial day and hope to secure the co-

PLAYS "WAR GAME," BOY IS INJURED

Jim, an 11-year-old son of George Watters, a well-known traveling shoe salesman, who is here from Columbus on a visit to relatives, met with an accident while playing the war game, Tuesday evening.

Jim and his cousin, Drew Book, of Rosedale, Ky., had pitched a tent in the yard of their uncle, Police Clerk Harry Johnson, on Spring street. A big bamboo pole was used as a flag mast. Drew held the pole close to the bottom while Jim climbed to the top. He had almost reached the top when Drew's hold below weakened and Jim was flipped to the ground, landing on his head. The boy was rendered unconscious for five minutes. Dr. S. B. McKerrigan, who responded to a hurry call, found the shock of the fall had affected the boy's heart action for a time. He remained very ill for the remainder of the night, but was able to be up and about as usual and seemingly none the worse for his fall, Wednesday.

To Give Lawn Fete Tonight

The Holy Name Society of the Holy Redeemer church will entertain with a lawn fete in the rear of the church, on Gallia street, tonight. Refreshments of ice cream and cake will be served for 15 cents. A beautiful parol will be given away.

Rufus, a young son of John W. Snyder, of the Portsmouth Banking company, fell against a radiator at the family home on Second street, Tuesday noon, severely cutting an eye. A physician was called to attend him.

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